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OUR SHIPS PATROLLING EUROPEAN SEA LANES.

Entire Torpedo Flotilla will Soon be Sent for Service Abroad.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

QUEENSTOWN, May 16. — A squadron of American torpedo boat destroyers has safely crossed the Atlantic and is patrolling the seas in war service.

The American navy's actual entry into the war zone already has been productive of a brush between a destroyer and a German undersea boat, according to an announcement by the British Admiralty, but the result of it has not been made public.

The destroyer squadron arrived at Queenstown after an uneventful voyage across the Atlantic, but almost immediately after a formal exchange of greetings with the British officials put to sea again for active work that is before it.

A patrol of several hundred persons carrying field glasses, lined the water front and greeted the destroyers from the moment they first sighted the flotilla as it reached the dock. The crews cheered again when a few minutes later the American senior officer came ashore to greet the British senior officer and Wesley Frost, the American Consul, who had come down to the dock to welcome the flotilla. Everything was done in a simple, business-like manner. There was an entire absence of formality.

WIRELESS GREETINGS.

The commander of the British flotilla was waiting on board his ship to extend wireless greetings to the American units as soon as they hove in sight, steaming in a long line into the harbor.

After the exchange of shore greetings and the British commander had congratulated the American officers on their safe voyage, he asked:

"When will you be ready for business?"

"We can start at once," the American commander replied promptly.

This response, so characteristically American, surprised the British commander, who said he had not expected the Americans would be ready to begin work on this side so soon after their long voyage. When he had recovered from his surprise he made a short tour of the destroyers and admitted that the American tars looked prepared.

"Yes," replied the American commander, "we made preparations on the way over. That is why we are ready."

EQUIPMENT PRAISED.

The equipment on board the destroyers was found to be in excellent condition and remarkably well suited to the requirements on this side of the ocean. It was said by the British officer that the only thing lacking in the equipment was heavier clothing. It appears that the Americans are wearing clothing too light for the varying conditions of weather they will encounter in these waters. This lack, however, was quickly provided for.

After the formalities had ended and the needs of the men were attended to, the American ships at

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

Covering the Globe.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) The Submarine Situation. (2) Arrival of American Warships in Europe. (3) Ireland. (4) Japan. (5) Russia. (6) The Liberty Loan. (7) Senate Criticism of the Administration. (8) Hindenburg Repulsed.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 8 miles. Thermometer, maximum, 69 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Forecast: Fair Thursday. For complete weather report see last page of Part 1.

THE CITY. The Holly Corporation pays $1,250,000 cash for a controlling interest in the Santa Ana Sugar Company.

A convention of growers representing 40 districts of the State voted to import Filipino labor to fill the great shortage of workers in California fields.

Marcus Klein, theatrical magnate, told a meeting of men in the business that a proposed war tax will close half the theaters in the country.

Theater conditions are revived in a novel fund, a contest in which all fight in the local land office.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. The last stage for the continuation of the Pacific training camp at Throop College passed when the commander was ordered to report at San Diego.

A homicide man proved successful in a hard fight for the $250,000 estate of his wife.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Rumors reflecting on Bishop Moreland of the Episcopal diocese of Sacramento to be investigated by ecclesiastical authorities.

Supreme Court grants Oxman writ of habeas corpus and bomb trial will be continued on cash bail.

NATIONAL. EASTERN. Anti-injunction bills fails of passage in Illinois Senate.

Union Pacific Railway Company asks all employees to subscribe to liberty war loan.

Weather favors crops in West, but cold retards them in East.

A German alien in Philadelphia asked permission of the government to operate his plant after June 1.

American Ambassador Penfield has arrived in New York on his return from Austria.

Anti-trust league's secretary denies on witness stand knowingly using German money contributed by Lamar, "wolf of Wall street."

WASHINGTON. Hundred-million-dollar loan made to Russia as earnest of America's confidence that provisional government will make no separate peace with Germany.

America will disarm naval vessels in Chinese waters.

Administration probably will make no further efforts to have press censorship bill enacted.

Redraft of pending food legislation is forecast.

Revised measure giving President authority to use armed force to prevent obstruction of commerce is introduced in Congress.

Dr. Paul Ritter, Swiss Minister to America, is transferred to The Hague.

Conference report on new army bill is adopted by House.

The Senate in secret session yesterday severely criticised some of the methods employed by the administration.

FOREIGN. Prof. Miliukoff resigns his place as Russian Foreign Minister.

It is stated Japan will send no war mission to this country.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: American torpedo-boat destroyers are now patrolling the Eastern Atlantic for German submarines.

Heavy German counter-attacks have been repulsed along the Scarpe River.

The Italians are keeping up their strong offensive against the Austrians on the Isonzo front.

Successes for the Entente Allies in Mesopotamia and Macedonia are recorded.

French inflict heavy losses on the Germans at several points.

Big decrease shown in U-boat sinkings, but lull in campaign may be due only to submarines refitting for further operations.

Lloyd George in letter to Redmond tells Nationalists what England proposes to do about home rule.

READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all the important part, of the more important news is to be found on the first page. Consult the Index and the Summary, then read the entire paper—and thus get all the news of the day.

Encouraging.

BIG DECREASE SHOWN IN TOLL OF U-BOATS.

Lull in Campaign, However, may be Due to Refitting Submarines.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, May 16.—There is naval authority for stating that last week's losses by submarines show a marked improvement over the preceding two weeks. The Germans evidently made their supreme effort from the second half of April, but either can't keep it up or else their submarines have suffered heavily.

Mr. Tickler, M.P., stated yesterday that the past fortnight had been the best in the number of U-boats sunk since the beginning of the year and there are reports afloat in the House of Commons to the same effect, but the Admiralty maintains its complete reserve on the matter.

American naval authorities quite approve of the system adopted by the British Admiralty as to concealing the number of U-boats captured or sunk and have adopted it in regard to the operations of American warships. This system, of course, also covers the methods by which they are dealt with, which all form a part of an extensive scheme constantly being altered and improved.

Probably the present lull in the U-boat operations is only temporary, experience having shown that in its intensive form U-boat raids have all along worked in cycles, owing to the necessity for refitting, as well as replacing lost boats. If the U-boat menace could be kept down to the point reached in the past week it would soon explode the claims set up by the German Admiralty, with a disastrous effect on the morale of the Central Powers allies, who have been buoyed up by extravagant promises.

WEEK'S SINKINGS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16, 6:50 p.m.—Eighteen British merchant vessels of more than 1600 tons were sunk during the past week, says the official summary of shipping losses, issued today. Five merchant vessels of less than 1600 tons were sunk, together with three fishing vessels.

The summary:

All nationalities—Arrivals, 2568; sailings, 2552.

British vessels mined, submarined and sunk, over 1600 tons, including one previously, eighteen; under 1600 tons, five.

British merchantmen unsuccessfully attacked, including five previously, nineteen.

British fishing vessels sunk, three.

The foregoing statement shows the losses for the week cut considerably more than half as regards the vessels sunk, last week's report showing sixty-two vessels, as compared with twenty-six in the current statement.

In large vessels, the decrease was from twenty-four to eighteen. The most marked decrease, however, was in the number of smaller vessels destroyed. Last Wednesday twenty-two merchant vessels of less than 1600 tons were reported sunk, in contrast with five in this week's report, while the number of fishing craft dropped from sixteen to three.

The high-water mark in the destruction of large vessels was reached in the report of April 26, when forty such vessels were destroyed.

ITALIAN MARINE LOSSES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, May 16, 5:15 p.m.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Rome says the losses to Italian shipping during the last week as a result of Germany's submarine campaign were two steamers under 1900 tons each, and seven small sailing craft. Some fishing boats also were sunk.

Scarpe.

ATTACKS ONLY TIGHTEN BRITISH GRIP ON LINE.

Massed Germans, by Sheer Momentum, Break into Advance Posts.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16, 11:24 p.m.—"Exceptionally heavy losses" were inflicted on the German troops which were sent against the British today between Gavrelle and the Scarpe River, according to the official report from British headquarters in France tonight. The British advanced posts were forced back by the Germans, but the latter were driven out of the ground they had gained almost immediately.

The text reads:

"After a heavy bombardment of our trenches on both banks of the Scarpe, the enemy launched a powerful counter-attack this morning on the north bank between Gavrelle and the river. His troops pressed forward under a destructive fire from our artillery and machine guns. For a short period, by weight of numbers, the enemy forced back our advanced troops from their forward positions.

"Our counter-attack, however, immediately launched regained all the ground temporarily lost, driving back the enemy and inflicting heavy losses. A number of prisoners remained in our hands.

"Our troops made progress during the day in the Hindenburg line northeast of Bullecourt.

"A hostile raiding party was successfully repulsed this morning southeast of Ypres.

"One German airplane was driven down out of control yesterday. One of our machines is missing."

GERMANS REBOUND LIKE BALL.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, May 16, (via London, 9:20 p.m.)—The Germans received a heavy check north of the Scarpe River today, where, in massed formation, they stormed this position, which was recently won by the British. After a terrific bombardment lasting a considerable time, the German infantry came down the slopes of Greenland Hill from the direction of Plouvain.

The British artillery made the hillside look like a mushroom farm, shell smoke sprouting up thickly over the entire field. Machine guns streamed nickeled missiles into the enemy ranks on the front and in the flanks.

Sheer weight and momentum carried the Germans beyond the British outposts and even into the chemical works themselves, but, like a rubber ball, the rebound was instantaneous and swiftly the defenders struck. After a short and hard fight the enemy was thrown out with heavy losses, leaving the British established more securely than ever.

The fighting continued about Bullecourt and a German partial success recently won there was wiped out.

Meantime, the British strengthened their positions eastward toward Roeux and drew a mite closer to Lens. Here the Germans continue their work of wrecking the district. Buildings are being blown up and machinery is being destroyed in order that the great mining center

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Interrogation.

ASKS A QUESTION ABOUT A BISHOP.

WOMAN LEFT STANDING WHEN CONVENTION ADJOURNS.

Definite Character of the Reports Concerning Dignitary of the Episcopal Church Unknown Outside of Ecclesiastic Circles at Sacramento.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, May 16.—Bishop William Hall Moreland of the Sacramento diocese of the Episcopal Church is under fire at the annual convention of the diocese which is now in session here. Every effort has been made to keep the investigation quiet, but it is known that "disparaging stories" concerning the bishop are being investigated.

The matter was called to the attention of the convention by Mrs. E. L. Maddox, who asked for an investigation of certain stories; and, after she had made a motion that a committee be named for the purpose, she was left standing when a motion to adjourn was made and was declared carried by the chair. Bishop Moreland was presiding at the time.

The definite character of the stories concerning the bishop is unknown outside the church, but executive sessions of the officers are being held at which meetings the reports are being investigated.

Bishop Moreland was in the public eye here not many years ago in connection with a hotel which he operated.

Those asking the investigation predict charges will be filed against the bishop.

"While I have been an Episcopalian from my birth and dearly love the church," Mrs. Maddox began, "ever since I came to Sacramento, about a year and a half ago, I have heard, almost continuously, words of disparagement against our bishop."

It was at this juncture that Bishop Moreland raised the point relative to whether or not the address was in order and cautioned against the indulgence in personalities.

Although visibly affected by this rebuke, Mrs. Maddox continued: "Now, I do not believe that these reports are true—I don't see how they can be true—but, as I am a member of the church, they have grieved me deeply. They act like a sore on the good name of the church, and where there is a sore it is perfectly proper to apply a remedy. I, therefore, will suggest that a committee be appointed by this convention to go into these things for the purpose of proving to our own people and showing to the people of California that they are not true, but that they are false."

Mrs. Maddox went on to say that she wanted to recite just one of the reports about the bishop that have come to her since she has been a resident of Sacramento; but what was on her lips never got any further, for it was at this point in the proceedings that several of the delegates, including a number of the clergy, were on their feet calling for adjournment.

"I call for a rising vote on this matter," shouted a lay delegate in the back of the hall. Several others joined in making the same motion.

Bishop Moreland, however, put the question in the usual way and after the vote he announced: "The ayes appear to have it."

By the strong chorus of "noes," however, it was indicated that many of the delegates favored prolonging the convention for the purpose of hearing Mrs. Maddox.

"Mrs. Maddox did not know that the matter to which she referred already was in the hands of the regular standing committee of the diocese. It was referred to the committee by me on May 4 and a report will be made as to their findings at a later date. Mrs. Maddox is a very estimable woman," said Bishop Moreland. "I do not care to say what the rumor is. It is merely a matter of detail."

ASKS HOLLWEG TO CURB THE TURKS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16, 7:16 a.m.—An Amsterdam dispatch to the Times says that Deputy Cohn, an independent Socialist, asked Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, in the Reichstag, if he was prepared to exert influence on the Turkish government to prevent as far as was still possible a repetition of the Armenian atrocities in Palestine.

Deputy Cohn said that Djemal Pasha, commander of the Turkish forces in Syria, at the end of March had ordered all Jews, including German, Austro-Hungarian and Bulgarian subjects, to be removed from Jaffa and its neighborhood on the ground of military necessity.

The expelled Jews were reported to have been subjected to violence and robbery, many being killed. The Turks also did nothing toward feeding the fugitives. Deputy Cohn added that Germany would incur a great moral responsibility if she took no action.

PRETTY YOUNG WOMAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

(30)

On the eve of threatening divorce proceedings, Mrs. Leona Ross, a pretty 18-year-old woman, attempted suicide early this morning by swallowing poison at the Stanford Hotel, Seventh and Stanford streets. She may recover.

Mrs. Ross is the wife of Harold Ross, 22 years old, an auto mechanic. The young couple were married eighteen months ago in San Diego. Following the suicide attempt Ross told Detective James that he and his wife had quarreled and he had decided to leave her for about a week. At the end of a week, he said, he would return to his wife and if their domestic troubles were yet unsettled he would sue for a divorce.

Precedents.

THOUSANDS CAPTURED IN DRIVE OF ITALIANS.

Wooded Heights North of Gorizia are Taken and Passage of River is Forced—Villages of Zagora and Zagomila are Now in Hands of Attackers—Messina Brigade Conquers Fortified Hill.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, May 16 (via London.)—The War Office announced today that as a result of the offensive begun yesterday the Italians thus far have captured 3275 prisoners, a mountain battery and thirty machine guns.

The Italians have captured the wooded heights on the east bank of the Isonzo north of Gorizia. They have forced a passage of the river between Loga and Bombrez, capturing the latter village.

In the center of the field of attack the villages of Zagora and Zagomila were taken by the Italians.

THE STATEMENT.

The official statement says:

"On the Julian front the vigorous offensive begun by our troops on Monday was resolutely continued yesterday. Our infantry, supported by artillery, succeeded in establishing themselves on the steep and wooded heights along the eastern bank of the Isonzo, north of Gorizia, which had been transformed by the enemy into a formidably-fortified defensive position. On the left wing one of our columns, after forcing a passage across the river between Loga and Bombrez, captured the last-named village and fortified itself there.

"In the center the heights of Hill 383, northeast of Piava, were captured, while the gallant Florence infantry brigade and the Vacilino brigade, after taking by assault the villages of Zagora and Zagomila, which were infested by machine guns, carried the crests of Mt. Cucco and Mt. Vodice with great dash.

"On our right wing the other columns made considerable progress on the steep slopes of Mt. Santo. Fierce enemy counter-attacks, prepared and supported by a bombardment of exceptional violence, were all repulsed by the firm resistance of our troops.

EAST OF GORIZIA.

"In the area east of Gorizia the Messina brigade conquered Hill 174 north of Tivoli, which was strongly fortified and strongly held by the enemy, whose insistent counter-attacks were all beaten off.

"The city of Gorizia yesterday suffered a heavy bombardment and some buildings were seriously damaged.

"On the remainder of the front down to the sea there were lively artillery actions. The enemy's rear lines were again effectively bombed by our air squadrons and during the night by one of our airships. Notwithstanding attacks by numerous enemy machines and the fire of his batteries, we did not suffer any loss.

"So far we have counted 3275 prisoners, among them ninety-eight officers. We also have captured a mountain battery about thirty machine guns and much war material, including arms and ammunition."

Sanguinary.

HEAVY GERMAN ATTACKS REPULSED BY FRENCH.

Lost Ground on Aisne is Regained Where Teutons Temparily Broke Through — Artillery Fighting Continues Violently Along the Whole Front—Bulgarians Suffer Severe Losses in Macedonia.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, May 16.—Heavy German attacks in the Aisne sector have been repulsed with sanguinary losses, and where the Germans temporarily broke through they were driven out and lost ground regained, according to the official statement by the War Office tonight. The statement reads:

"The Germans today continued their attacks in the region to the north and northwest of Moulin-de-Laffaux, as far as the railroad between Soissons and Laon. Despite the importance of the enemy effectives and the violence of the assaults, our troops inflicted a sanguinary check on their adversaries. At several points where our line temporarily gave way we carried out brilliant counter-attacks which enabled us to regain the lost ground.

LOSSES OF GERMANS.

"The Germans suffered heavy losses in endeavoring to arrest our progress by new attempts, which were broken by our barrages and the fire of our machine guns. About 100 unwounded prisoners remained in our hands, as well as a number

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Later Dispatches

With fresh news marked "30"

Atmosphere.

CONFIDENCE IN RUSSIA GROWS IN WASHINGTON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Official confirmation of the withdrawal from the Russian provisional government of Foreign Minister Miliukoff, coming on the heels of the retirement of War Minister Guchkoff and three of the highest army generals, failed to weaken the belief here that Russian democracy would find a way out. Proof of the confidence of the American government, as well as of its determination to lend unstinted aid, was given in the form of the $100,000,000 loan to Russia.

Inquiry during the day among both American and Allied officials and diplomats, including three officials who have recently been in Russia, revealed an almost unanimous opinion that the storm now beating will not be fatal, though its climax probably has not been reached.

The recent wholesale resignations of the more moderate and capable leaders are interpreted as in a sense warnings to the more extreme elements who have become intoxicated with their newfound power.

Neither surprise nor alarm at what is going on was expressed by those who have recently returned from Russia. They say that such an immense upheaval as the revolution could not but be followed by a period of uncertainty and that the present chaos is but a healthy groping about to find a firm form of government with a just distribution of authority. It is admitted that this internal controversy necessarily is liberalizing and moderating the foreign policies of the government, which will make a peace easier to obtain and seriously threaten the discipline of the army.

FOOD PLENTY, DECLARE EXPERTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

WASHINGTON, May 16. — Special investigators of the Department of Justice laid before Atty.-Gen. Gregory today new evidence on which they believe indictments of food-price manipulators can be based.

Later, however, Mr. Gregory said he thought much of the talk of food shortage was unfounded.

"From my reports," he said, "I conclude many of the present high prices are the result of inadequate distribution facilities. If the President is given authority, as has been proposed to Congress, to direct freight shipments, and give priority to certain classes of freight, I am confident the situation will be materially improved.

"I am led to believe there is much hysteria occasioned by reports of food shortage. It is ridiculous to think there will be any starvation or want in this country. There will be sufficient food for all."

CHINESE GAMBLERS RAIDED.

(30)

Blind alleys and hidden passageways aided six Chinese gamblers to escape late last night when Officers O'Gara and Hodges raided a den at No. 401 Apablasa street. The officers lay in hiding for more than an hour and watched the money pile up until $770.40 was stacked on the table. Eleven Chinese were playing Chinese pique. O'Gara and Hodges kicked the door open. Jiu Lee and four other players were caught, while six more darted through secret doors. The five men arrested were released on $50 bail.

UNITED STATES WARNS CUBANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] (30)

HAVANA, May 16.—The United States government, calling attention of the Cuban people to the two great obligations—military and economic—involved in the entrance of Cuba and the United States into the war, has issued a warning against interference with the sugar production, which will be considered "a hostile act," and declares that unless all those under arms against the government of Cuba return immediately to their allegiance to the United States it may find it necessary to deal with them as enemies.

AMERICANS MURDERED IN SANTO DOMINGO.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] (30)

SAN JUAN (P. R.) May 16.—Authentic information received here today from La Romona, Santo Domingo, says that the bodies of two American engineers—Stanely Miller of Baton Rouge, La., and a man named Hawkins, first name not given, of Paducah, Ky.—were found by marines tied to trees and hacked to pieces, on the morning of May 14.

KANSAS GARDEN AREA DOUBLED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

TOPEKA (Kan.) May 16.—"A half-million bushels of seed have been made available; thousands of acres have been caused planted which heretofore have gone untilled; the garden area of the State has been doubled, and a campaign has been opened toward conservation and canning of foodstuffs."

REPORT SALAZAR IS KILLED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

EL PASO, May 16.—An unconfirmed report that the Villa leader, Jose Ynez Salazar, had been killed in a duel was received here tonight by both United States and Mexican officials. It was said that Salazar, who has been operating to the southwest from here, near the border, was killed by Chico Cano, a Villa leader, now in that district on the T. and O. ranch, an American-owned property opposite Sierra Blanca, Tex.

FAMOUS BRITISH LIBRARY SOLD.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] (30)

LONDON, May 17.—The famous Bridgwater library, comprising more than 4000 rare and valuable books, 200 manuscripts and 10,000 other documents, has been sold privately. Neither the price nor the name of the purchaser has been divulged, but the Times today says there are grounds for believing that the collection is going to the United States.

Senate Refuses to Become a Rubber Stamp for Wilson; Autocratic Methods Scored

Denunciatory.

FOOD DICTATORSHIP IS TARGET FOR ATTACK.

War and Navy Departments Come in for Fiercest of Criticism.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 16.—Smoldering criticism of the government broke out in the Senate today, making an executive session necessary to keep from the public the opinions of the administration in general and the War Department in particular, expressed by many Senators, including some Democrats.

Secretary of War Baker, the Advisory Commission of the Council of National Defense, the Car Efficiency Committee of the American Railway Association, the proposals for a food dictatorship and the fixing of maximum and minimum prices were the targets for the attacks of both Democrats and Republicans in the secret session.

The President was charged with an inclination to place the blame on Congress for the "inefficiency and incompetency" of executive departments, many Senators complaining that Congress is being asked to abdicate its prerogative in favor of persons who are in no way responsible either to Congress or to the people of the United States.

LEWIS'S AMENDMENT.

The secret session was made necessary because of the amendment offered by Senator Lewis to the army appropriation bill which would require the President to appoint the members of the national defense and the advisory commission with the consent of the Senate. Speaking in secret session in defense of his amendment, which he withdrew later because of a point of order, Senator Lewis arraigned what he termed the "dictatorial and autocratic attitude of the Advisory Commission of the Council of National Defense," which he said arbitrarily made contracts for millions of dollars of supplies for the government, with no authority and without being responsible to anyone. He said it was impossible for outsiders to bid on contracts under the system instituted by the Advisory Commission; that the contracts were in toto to certain persons, and that small contractors had to go to these persons for the privilege of bidding.

The Car Efficiency Committee of the American Railway Association, Senator Lewis said, had preempted the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission and had been arbitrarily dictating the disposition and movement of freight cars, to the detriment of business in the Middle West. Preference has been given in the movement of cars to favorites of the railroads, Senator Lewis charged.

WORK SUSPENDED.

Business concerns in the Middle West had been forced to suspend work because they could get no coal and other materials, the Car Efficiency Committee having willed to send freight cars elsewhere.

Senator Lewis desired to know through what authority the committee existed and asked if it were not time that the Interstate Commerce Commission took the situation in hand and exercise its own powers.

Senator Reed of Missouri, Democrat, made a sarcastic and bitter speech denouncing the proposal to create a food dictatorship. The idea of such a thing in the United States, he said, is preposterous and will not be tolerated by the people in a country where there is plenty of food for all. He prophesied that Congress would never create a food dictatorship and by innuendo criticised the President for suggesting such a thing.

Senator Reed also attacked the proposal to permit anyone to fix maximum and minimum prices. He said it was not necessary and predicted that bills having such a purpose in view would not be passed.

Senator McKellar of Tennessee, Democrat, told of experiences manufacturers from his State had in attempting to get government contracts. He said the War Department had referred these men to the Advisory Commission of the Council of National Defense, saying that the War Department's hands were tied and that it could place no orders. When the manufacturers went to the Advisory Commission they were told that their bids could not be considered, McKellar said. He also attacked the arbitrary power wielded by the advisory board and offered an amendment to provide that only Cabinet officers could supervise the expenditure of money authorized by Congress.

SIMILAR EXPERIENCES.

Following McKellar, a number of Senators told of similar experiences which they had when taking constituents to the War Department to make a bid for war orders. Among these were Senators Weeks, Fall, Townsend, Smoot and King.

Senator Martin of Virginia, Democratic leader in the Senate, aided by Senators Shafroth and Thomas of Colorado, attempted to defend the administration, but only caused more bitterness in the secret session. When certain Senators began to call members of the advisory board of the Council of National Defense by name and asked why they had been appointed and why they were given such large and extensive powers over the purchase of government materials, the Senate again went into open session.

Several Senators attacked Secretary of War Baker, stating that he has been running the War Department along Socialistic ideas, by attempting to cut out competition; by attempting to fix arbitrary prices and by threatening manufacturers to take over their plants if they did not do what the War Department wished.

In the open session that followed Senator Lodge of Massachusetts made a speech to show that Congress had not been lax in the performance of its duties and that it had been making much more progress than the War and Navy departments. He was followed by Senator Poindexter of Washington, who said all the War and Navy departments had done had been to talk.

"The Council of National Defense," Senator Lodge said, "exists by statute and has certain statutory limitations as to what it shall do, to which apparently slight attention is paid and to which it is intended to pay still less attention in the future."

LODGE'S DEFENSE.

Referring to newspaper statements that Congressmen were slackers and were not doing their part, Senator Lodge cited the enormous volume of business that had been transacted by Congress since the declaration of war.

Senators Smith of Georgia and Fall of New Mexico pointed out that the Senate has spent more time on the censorship section than anything else and that it has also spent much time on the export section of the espionage bill because the administration failed to send the Senate information on which it might have taken quick action.

"There seems to be an idea abroad," said Senator Lodge, "that the sole business of Congress is to take a bill which is sent down from some bureau which has been drafted perhaps by some excellent gentlemen who emerged upon the public gaze within a few weeks and that our business is to sit here to have it read and to pass it in a morning.

"We shall not expedite the war by destroying the legislative powers of this government. We are in danger of losing the confidence of the country not only in Congress, but both in the administration and Congress.

"Six weeks ago today the war was declared. We began by passing four great appropriation bills. We

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Important Advance.

MACEDONIAN TOWN FALLS TO VICTORIOUS BRITISH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16, 6:45 p.m.—British troops in Macedonia have made an important advance on the Doiran front and captured the village of Kjapri, on the Struma front, it is announced officially. Advanced trenches on a front of 3000 yards southwest of Ernekel also have been captured.

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EXTEND ARTILLERY FIRE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via London) May 16, 6:05 p.m.—The heavy artillery fire which has been in progress between Presba and Doiran lakes (Macedonia) has extended to the Struma front," the War Office reports.

SERBIANS FIGHT HARD.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16, 3:02 p.m.—The offensive of the British, French, Russian and Italian forces having failed, the Bulgarian War Office has announced, the Serbians are now putting forward desperate but ineffectual efforts to obtain some success, however small.

RUSSIANS ACTIVE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD (via London), May 16, 3 p.m. (British Admiralty, per Wireless Press.) — Russian troops have again forced a crossing of the Diala River on the Mesopotamian front, northeast of Bagdad. They met with strong opposition on advancing from the river, however, and were compelled to fall back, the War Office announced today.

Desperate Fighting.

BRANDENBURG BATTALION WINS FRENCH TRENCHES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via London) May 16.—The capture of trenches on a front of 600 meters east of La Neuville is announced in today's official statement.

The official statement from the west front follows:

"On both sides of Craonne and north of Froenes the increased activity of the artillery was continued without interruption. East of La Neuville (Aisne front) a Brandenburg battalion broke into the enemy trenches on a width of 600 meters and held the newly-won position against several strong French attacks. One hundred and seventy-five prisoners and numerous weapons of every kind fell into our hands."

RAIN STOPS COMBAT.

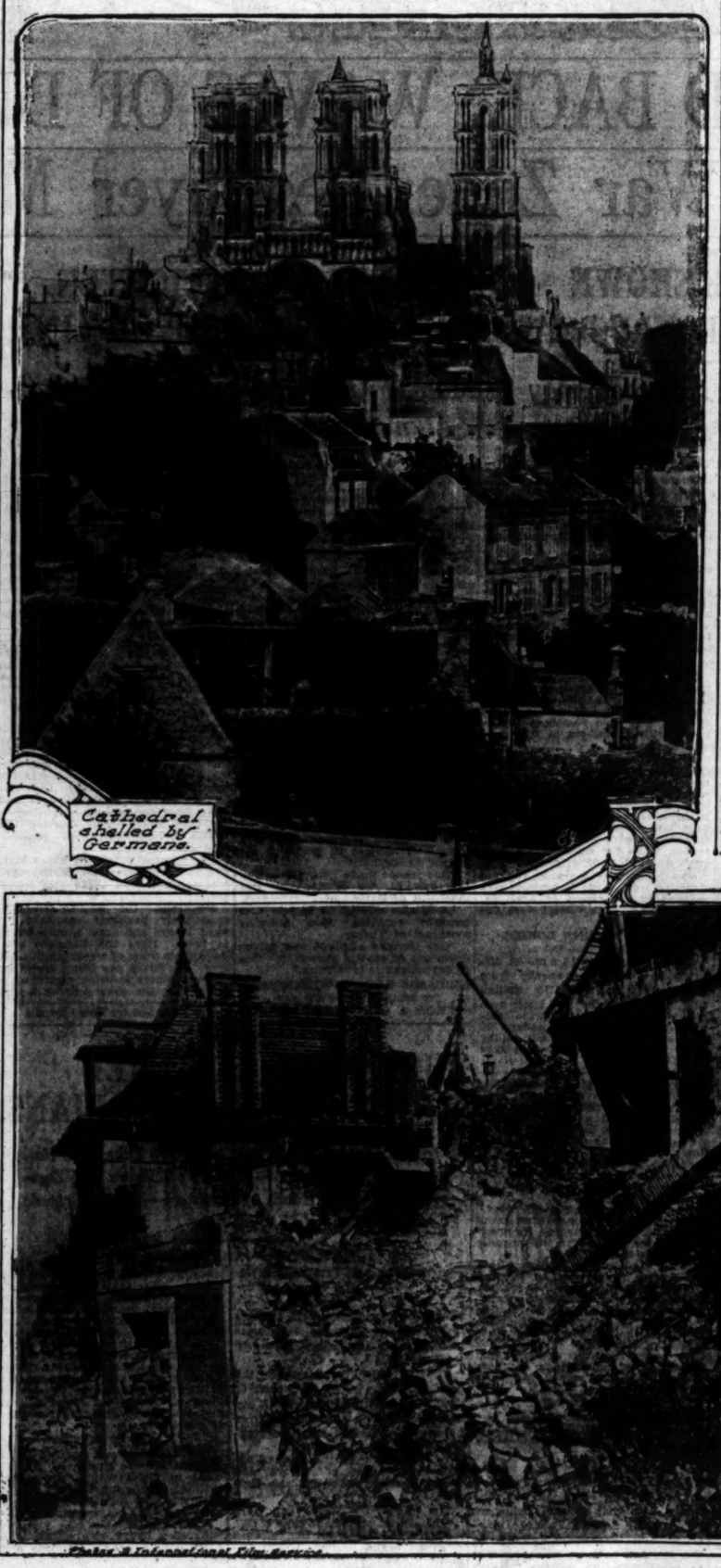
[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via London) May 16.—The evening official report issued by the War Office says:

"Rain and mist rendered the fighting activity on the western front slight. Near Roeux and Vauxaillon local infantry engagements developed.

"In Macedonia enemy attacks north of Monastir failed."

Where the Battle Raged Fiercest.



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Ruin, ruin, ruin!

The top panel shows the ancient cathedral in Laon, which has been under shell fire. The cathedral is a beautiful specimen of Gothic architecture and was built between 1170 and 1225. It has seven towers, none of which has ever been finished. Laon lies on the side of a hill and has a citadel and fortress. It boasts of many beautiful and ancient buildings and several convents which have long since fallen into disuse and decay. The lower panel shows deserted houses in Craonne, the scene of new fighting. Here is a scene taken recently during the German occupation of Craonne, in the Aisne district, France, which has been captured again by the French. Reports on Saturday indicated that heavy German counter-attacks on the place by the Germans had been repulsed. A hundred years ago Napoleon fought at this place.

Preparedness.

HOUSE ADOPTS REPORT ON THE WAR ARMY BILL.

Senate Agrees to Provision Increasing the Pay of Enlisted Men, Although Final Action has not been Taken; and Conscripted Ones will Receive Same Amount as Those in the Regular Army as an Attraction.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The conference report on the war army bill was adopted by the House without a record vote late today after Representative Dent had announced that the Senate conferees had agreed to the House provision increasing the pay of enlisted men. Final action must be taken by the Senate.

The section regarding pay as agreed to by the conferees provides that all officers and enlisted men of the forces to be raised by conscription shall have the same pay allowances and pensions as the regular army, and makes these increases in the pay of enlisted regulars: Those receiving $15 to $21 per month an increase of $15 per month; those receiving $24 an increase of $12; those receiving $30, $36 or $40 an increase of $8, and those receiving $45 or

ence report tomorrow or Friday, and then it will go to the President. Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the Senate conferees, said he had yielded on the army pay increase only in a desire to hasten final enactment, the insistence of the House being so stubborn that continuation of the fight would greatly postpone raising the new army. The Senate had voted a smaller increase.

Senator Chamberlain said an effort might be expected when the report is brought up in the Senate to reduce the maximum conscription age of 30 years insisted upon by the House and agreed to by the conferees. Both the pay increase section and the Roosevelt volunteer amendment may also encounter renewed objection, and several hours of debate are expected.

REGISTRATION.

Plans for beginning registration of those subject to draft have been completed by the War Department, and it was announced tonight that immediately upon signing of the bill by the President the department also will outline the procedure to be followed in bringing the National Guard into the Federal service.

Estimates are being prepared and tentative contracts made for the supplying of approximately 500,000 men in this first force, to be composed of regulars and National Guard. The estimates are based on a three-month period, however, subject to extension as the force increases.

The department also has under consideration the task of selecting three new major-generals and fifteen new brigadiers for the regular army, that number being provided for in the increase of the force to full war strength. Ten of the brigadiers will come from the infantry, two from the cavalry, two from the field artillery and one from the engineers. An additional brigadier also will be selected to succeed Brig.-Gen. Davis, recently retired. The cavalry will supply this extra number.

OBITUARY.

Edwin Eells.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

TACOMA (Wash.) May 16.—Edwin Eells, oldest white man born in Washington, is dead at his home here. Eells was for thirty years an Indian agent. He was born in Eastern Washington before the Marcus Whitman massacre, his father having come to Washington seventy-seven years ago as a missionary to the Indians. He was at one time superintendent of the Cushman Indian School.

DECREASE IN WOMEN.

Men Return to Run Street Cars in Glasgow.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLASGOW, April 26.—There has been a decrease in the last few months in the number of women employed in Glasgow's street cars because so many men have returned from the war and resumed their former places. At present 280 women are employed as drivers and 1293 as conductors on Glasgow street cars, while 470 are car cleaners, 193 clerks and sixty storekeepers and woodworkers.

FINE BUILDERS.

Too Lavish Use of Labor and Material in Decorating House.

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LONDON, April 26.—Fines of £20, £30 and £50 were inflicted recently on builders and owners of some property in one of the suburbs for the too lavish use of labor and material in decorating a house. The proceedings were taken by the Ministry of Munitions under the Defence of the Realm Act.

RIGID REGULATION.

British Government May Control Supply and Price of Coal.

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LONDON, April 26.—The government is considering the rigid regulation of the supply and price of coal. It has taken over the coal mines, but finds that there is much wastage of coal among householders and plans to extend its powers over its distribution.

Money Talks.

HUNDRED MILLION LOAN BACKS OUR CONFIDENCE IN NEW RUSSIA

Extension of a Huge War Credit, Made Without Stipulation or Understanding Further Than That Petrograd Will Make It Good—Transaction Settles All Rumors of a Separate Peace Between the Slavs and the Germans.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The United States today loaned Russia $100,000,000.

The money was lent to be spent as needed, without stipulation or understanding of any sort further than that Russia stands back of the obligation, will make it good and will spend the money in this country under the supervision of a representative of the Treasury Department or a commission to be named by the American government.

The latter stipulation was made in a spirit of co-operation, without intending to embarrass the Russian government or to curtail its purchasing powers, but with the end in view that Russia will secure the maximum result for the money she is to spend. The Treasury Department will place at her disposal the services of expert buyers in this country familiar with American markets.

In this respect, Russia stands on an equal footing with other Entente governments to which the United States is making loans, the only distinction being that in application of the programme Russia heads the list. Great Britain, France, Italy and other beneficiaries of American loans soon will follow, as plans for mobilizing in American hands all purchases to be made here by the Allies is rapidly nearing completion.

The purchasing board for all the Allies, it was indicated tonight, may be in operation in a month.

TWOFOLD PURPOSE.

Today's loan to Russia, her first participation in the huge sum which the United States will lend the Allies, was made, it was authoritatively said, first to help the Russian government obtain here supplies which she needs and secondarily as an earnest manifestation to the Russian people that the United States places no credence in rumors that Russia is contemplating a separate peace with Germany.

No verbal assurances of American confidence, it was thought, could give to the Russian government the conviction that America is ready to help her which a substantial loan would give.

A credit of $45,000,000 to Belgium also was established today by Secretary McAdoo, the sum to be withdrawn in six monthly installments of $7,500,000 each. The transactions marked Belgium's first participation in the loan to the Allies and brought the total of sums advanced and credits established by the government to Entente nations up to $670,000,000 within the three weeks that have passed since President Wilson signed the war finance law.

This total of credits and loans is distributed as follows:

Great Britain, $325,000,000; France, $100,000,000; Italy, $100,000,000; Russia, $100,000,000; Belgium, $45,000,000. Indications are that the total will reach at least $1,000,000,000 before a dollar of the $2,000,000,000 liberty bond issue is available.

PLEASURE TO AID BELGIUM.

In extending the credit to Belgium, Secretary McAdoo made a brief address to the Belgian Minister in which he said:

"I wish, on behalf of the American people, to assure you that it gives me a peculiar pleasure to render a service of this character, which we hope will be helpful to your country and largely mitigate, if not entirely eliminate, the sufferings of your people."

Minister De Cartier, visibly affected, arose and extended his hand.

"I cannot express how deeply moved I am by your kind words," he said. He hesitated for some time. Finally, his hand still grasping the Secretary's, he whispered:

"I speak for every Belgian heart when I say I thank you as well as I know how."

STRENGTHENS FRIENDSHIP.

The money lent to Russia was made available for her purchases of supplies in this country and was deposited to her credit in the Federal reserve banks.

"In issuing this credit," Secretary McAdoo told Charge d'Affaires Onou of the Russian Embassy, "to your government, it gives me the greatest pleasure to think that we may be extending to you at this time a service which we hope will be of great value to both of us. I need not enlarge upon the fact that we extend it to you as additional evidence of the strong friendship which has already existed so long between the American and the Russian peoples. We earnestly hope that the resources we place at your disposal today will contribute to the establishment of democracy and freedom throughout the world."

RACE TO PETROGRAD.

The American commission is going to Russia in what amounts to a race against time with only two objects in view, it was stated on the highest authority today.

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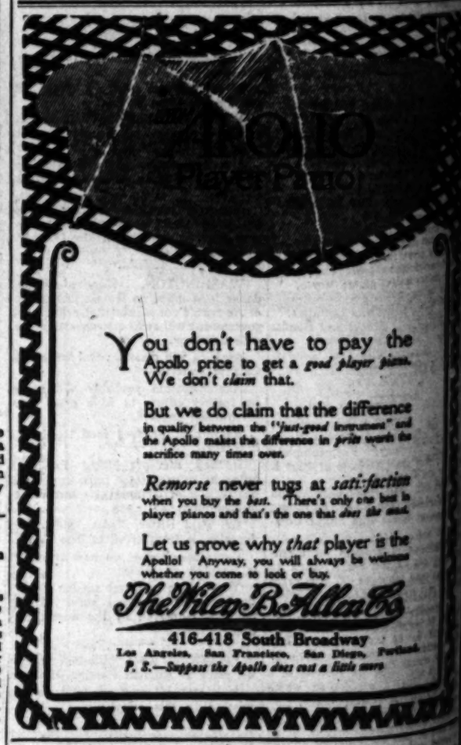

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CAUGHT IN WHIRLWIND.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

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"When the field-gray waves swept forward from the direction of Plouvain they were met by a whirlwind of machine gun and rifle fire as well as artillery fire," writes the correspondent. "They were mown down in swaths but continued to advance despite their losses in a manner indicating that picked troops were being employed.

"So far as I have been able to learn they succeeded in gaining the now famous chemical works and forcing an entry there. Fierce hand-to-hand fighting developed but the Germans were thrown back in a counter-attack and we restored all our positions, besides inflicting terrible punishment.

"The struggle still is progressing this afternoon, showing the desperate nature of the German attack."

DIVERT SHIPPING FOR ALLIED NEEDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Immediate diversion of 30,000 tons of American shipping from coastwise to trans-Atlantic service was arranged by the Shipping Board today with the Shipping Committee of the Council of National Defense. The vessels, about ten of them, will be selected by the committee subject to approval by the board.

The Shipping Board holds that the need of the Allies is so great now American interests must be willing to undergo inconveniences in the general interest.

GARDNER RESIGNS TO ENTER ARMY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Representative Gardner of Massachusetts has resigned from Congress to enter the army.

Mr. Gardner has been one of the most active figures in the movement for military preparedness and was a member of the Ways and Means Committee. He has been ordered to active duty as a reserve officer. He is the first member of either House to quit Congress for military service in the present war.

JEANETTE RANKIN IS REFUSED VOTE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Representative Jeanette Rankin, Congresswoman from Montana, struck her first parliamentary snag today in the House.

Miss Rankin was standing in front of the Speaker's desk with other members who had not answered the roll call on the motion to recommit the army bill, when she attempted to cast her vote.

"Were you in the hall and listening when your name was called?" asked Speaker Clark.

"No," replied Miss Rankin.

"Then you cannot vote," said the Speaker.

Miss Rankin retired to her seat. The Speaker's decision was in accordance with the rules of the House.

BORDER REGIMENTS TO NEW STATIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) May 16.—Under the orders of border regiments to be sent to stations for formation of new regiments of the regular army, the Twentieth Infantry and Sixth Infantry at El Paso will depart Saturday for Fort Douglas, Utah, and Chickamaugua Park, respectively, and the Twenty-third Infantry at El Paso will be sent to Syracuse Sunday.

In further compliance with the plan for formation of the new regiments it was announced that the Thirty-fourth Infantry at El Paso would be used there to form the Sixty-fourth Regiment of Infantry.

NAVY ENLISTMENTS REACH HIGH MARK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—When Richard Farris Cannon enlisted in the navy today at Jackson, Miss., the enlisted strength of the navy touched the 100,000 mark for the first time. The existing authorized strength of the navy was 100,857, including all auxiliary forces, but the bill just passed by both House and Senate puts it up to 150,000.

Sixty-fifth Congress.

MOVE TO RAISE INCOME TAXES.

All Above $40,000 Likely to Feel the Increase.

Party Lines are Obliterated at Outset of Fight.

May Reduce Imposts on Heat, Freight and Light.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 14.—A vigorous movement to increase the proposed war revenue bill income surtaxes 25 per cent. on all amounts above $40,000 was started in the House today under the leadership of Representative Lenroot, Republican of Wisconsin, and Representative Sherley, Democrat of Kentucky.

Over the determined opposition of Democratic Leader Kitchin and Representatives Fordney of Michigan and Hill of Connecticut, Republicans, the insurgents succeeded in obtaining in the committee of the whole their proposed increases from $ to 10 per cent. on incomes between $40,000 and $60,000, and tomorrow they will resume their fight, determined to elevate every division until incomes above $500,000 would pay almost 60 per cent.

Should the proposed increases prevail there will be an attempt to strike from the bill the proposed freight, light and heat taxes and, possibly, the increased second-class mail matter rate. Unofficial estimates are that the proposed 25 per cent increase would net approximately $100,000,000.

NO PARTY LINES.

Party lines were obliterated at the outset of the fight. An attempt to increase the surtax beginning at $5000 was defeated.

The proposed rate between $5000 and $7500 is 1 per cent. and Representative Sherley sought to have this doubled. An overwhelming vote rejected the proposal. Then Representative Sherley joined in support of the Lenroot plan to add 25 per cent. to the schedule of surtaxes on incomes over $40,000. It carried 98 to 87 amid cheers.

Representative Kichin assailed all suggested income taxe rate increases over the committee recommendation.

"I haven't heard anyone here object to the taxes on necessities," he shouted. "The only taxes it is proposed to decrease are those on second-class mail matter, automobiles and other luxuries."

LENROOT'S STATEMENT.

Representative Lenroot characterized the Democratic leader's remarks as "ingenuous," but as failing to get away from the fact that the general 25 per cent. increase would enable the House to strike out the freight, light and heat taxes. "These taxes would fall on every home," he declared.

In opposing the proposed increases Representative Fordney said if taxes on the wealthy were put so high that they felt an injury was being done them, they would evade the levy by passing dividends and other methods. He also pleaded against what he termed "class legislation," insisting that the rich were as patriotic as the poor.

Former Speaker Cannon suggested that only about $10,000,000,000 of the total wealth of $260,000,000,000 in the United States was in the hands of the "plutocrats" and he saw no reason for trying to place an unfair burden on them.

REMOVE HARRY THAW.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—President Judge Martin of common pleas court today signed a decree authorizing the removal of Harry K. Thaw to the Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane in this city from a hospital where he has been confined since an attempt at suicide several months ago following an indictment in New York charging him with assaulting a school boy.

OBTAIN COPPER CHARTER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

DOVER (Del.) May 16.—Today a New York syndicate obtained a charter in Delaware for the Navajo Copper Company, capitalized at $60,000,000 and authorized to do a general mining business. The incorporators are Arthur W. Britton, Samuel B. Howard, Louis F. Guntherer, Harry B. Davis and Joseph F. Curtin, all of New York.

CLOSE PAPER MILLS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ST. JOHNS (N. F.) May 16.—Inability to obtain steamers to transport their product to England has resulted in a decision of Lord Northcliffe and his associates to shut down their large paper mills at Grand Falls.

GERMAN GENERAL DEAD.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) May 16, 6.32 a.m.—The death at the front of Gen. Von Vietinghoff, former Governor of Strassburg, is reported in a dispatch from Berlin.

Shortage of Tin.

CONSUMER TO BE DENIED CANNED BEANS AND SOUP.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—American consumers will have to deny themselves canned beans and canned soups for a time. The War Can Committee, comprising tin can makers, can manufacturers, canners and government officials, today announced that the shortage of tin makes it imperative that cans be supplied only to packers of perishable foods.

The order will be effective for sixty days or perhaps longer, and will be put into operation over the vigorous protest of the bean and soup packers, who declare it means ruin. All cans made in this country for the present will go to canners of fruits and vegetables and to Canadian canners of soups and beans for troops at the front. Soldiers in France, it is held, must use canned products because of a lack of cooking facilities.

No cans hereafter will go to packers of products who can substitute paper or other containers. No tin will go to packers of a hundred different kinds of toilet articles and many other commodities. The committee believes that at the end of a short period there will be cans for all interests.

CONSERVE TIN CANS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, May 16. — Canners and wholesale grocers of California are asked to delay or abandon canning nonperishable foodstuffs in order to conserve the supply of tin cans in letters sent out today by the State Council of Defense. The shortage of tin has become alarming, the letters state, and by suspending the canning of nonperishable goods, such as peas, beans, hominy and soups, the tin cans may be used to preserve perishable foods, which otherwise would spoil. Wholesale grocers are asked to cancel or suspend orders for nonperishable food in cans.

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Food Dictatorship.

(Continued from Second Page.)

have passed great loan bills; we have passed through both houses a bill providing for selective conscription.

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POINDEXTER'S STATEMENT.

Senator Poindexter said some people seem to have the idea that the war would be won by legislation, especially as the impression seems to prevail that the whole success of the war depended on what Congress did.

"What power is it that the administration wants?" he demanded. "Does the President lack any authority to carry on the war?" He spoke of the time that had elapsed since the declaration of a state of war, adding, "And I am yet to hear of a single German submarine that has been sunk by a vessel of the United States navy."

The upshot was adoption of an amendment by Senator Sterling of South Dakota setting forth that the powers of the Council of National Defense shall not be considered enlarged because of war conditions. A section of the bill appropriating $500,000 for the defense council was the basis for the debate.

THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Winter Clothing Begins to Disappear in Middle West.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 16.—Winter wraps began to disappear today all over the Middle West with the advent of genuine warm weather, clear and dry. The maximum temperature in Chicago was 81 deg., rising from 60 deg., the low point last night. Chicago was three degrees warmer than Cincinnati and one degree under St. Louis, but one degree warmer than New Orleans. Eastern States also warmed perceptibly, and Moorhead, Minn., notoriously a cold spot, jumped to 90 deg. Nebraska and Western New York reported the only rain.

Temperatures elsewhere, as officially reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Abilene	86	62	Pasadena	76	41
Boise	58	36	Phoenix	92	58
Boston	62	50	Pittsburgh	72	48
Buffalo	50	46	Pomona		39
Calgary	44	42	Portland, Or.	58	42
Chicago	82	52	Rapid City	74	52
Des Moines	82	54	Red Bluff	74	42
Dodge City	86	56	Redlands		45
Duluth	52	40	Reno	64	28
Durango	70	..	Riverside		43
Eureka	58	40	Roseburg	58	36
Flagstaff	66	36	Roswell	86	54
Fresno	76	44	St. Louis	82	58
Galveston	78	64	St. Paul	84	46
Havre	58	30	Sacramento	72	46
Helena	44	36	Salt Lake City	56	40
Huron	86	54	Santa Barbara		44
Jacksonville	82	58	San Bernardino		42
Kamloops	52	42	San Diego	64	52
Kansas City	80	58	San Francisco	62	48
Knoxville	78	50	San Luis Obispo	74	48
Los Angeles	69	52	Seattle	58	40
Memphis	78	54	Sheridan	80	48
Modena	60	36	Spokane	54	36
Montreal	54	38	Swift Current	58	38
Moorhead	90	50	Tampa	78	58
Mt. Wilson	..	40	Tonopah	60	32
Needles	94	58	Tucson		50
New Orleans	80	58	Washington	78	46
New York	60	46	Williston	72	42
North Head	52	44	Winnemucca	60	30
North Platte	84	54	Winnipeg	58	34
Oklahoma City	82	56	Yuma	92	60
Omaha	84	..			

WITNESSES TELL OF REVOLUTION.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Walter L. Carver, mechanical engineer of Cleveland; Samuel B. Trissell and Griffin Barry, former attaches of the American Embassy at Petrograd, all witnesses of the revolution in Russia, arrived in a California port today. Carver said the extreme Socialists of Petrograd were responsible for the fight on the provisional government. Trissell asserted that the people of Russia are against a separate peace with Germany.

German Attacks.

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of wounded Germans, who were carried away by our ambulances.

"The artillery fighting continued violently along the whole front of attack. In the sector of Craonne lively artillery actions also occurred.

"On May 15 our pilots brought down three German airplanes."

Belgian communication:

"In the region of Rascapelle and near Steenstraete and Pet-Sas the artillery duel continued. North of Steenstraete a short but violent struggle with bombs took place on the afternoon of May 16."

"Eastern theater, May 15: West of Lake Doiran, in the region of Krastali and Dautli, the British troops captured the enemy's first line to a depth of 700 meters on a front of five kilometers (about three miles.)

"In the course of their counter-attacks on the front of Srka-di-Legen-Hadji-Barimah the Bulgarians suffered heavy losses and left some prisoners in our hands. The positions taken have been maintained. Near Gradeshnitza the Serbians carried out a surprise attack and brought back prisoners.

"The artillery fighting has been very lively at the Cerna bend and on the Serbian front, notwithstanding the bad weather and fog."

ICE IN YUKON GOES OUT LATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DAWSON (Y. T.) May 16.—The ice in the Yukon River here went out yesterday, the latest date since 1899. Ice is running heavily past Dawson. Steamers bound for points on the lower Yukon are waiting at Lake Lebarge for the river to clear. Navigation will be in full progress the whole length of the great river next week.

DECLARE HOLLWEG HIDES WAR AIMS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) May 16, 9:30 a.m.—The Nieuws van den Dag regrets that Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's speech has not cleared the obscurity in regard to Germany's war aims. It says that the Chancellor's words have strengthened his enemies' hands and must be considered equivalent to an admission of defeat.

RUSSIA CAN HAVE SEPARATE PEACE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, May 16 (via London, 5:55 p.m.)—The semi-official Fremdenblatt of Vienna says that Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg in his speech in the Reichstag declared the desire of Germany to regulate her eastern frontiers and maintain friendly relations with Russia in peaceful accord with the Russian government. Almost identical declarations emanated from Austria-Hungary, the newspaper says, adding:

"All the world now knows Germany entertains no ideas of conquest regarding Russia, which can at any moment conclude an honorable peace with Germany and Austria. Reports about a divergences of views on this question between Vienna and Berlin will now become silent as the grave."

RAID SOCIALISTS FOR PAMPHLETS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) May 16.—Federal authorities visited the Socialist headquarters in this city and obtained several thousand copies of pamphlets alleged to be treasonable. The action was taken yesterday but did not become public until today. The pamphlets condemn the war.

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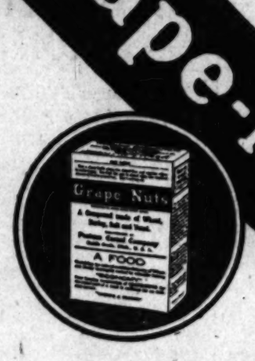

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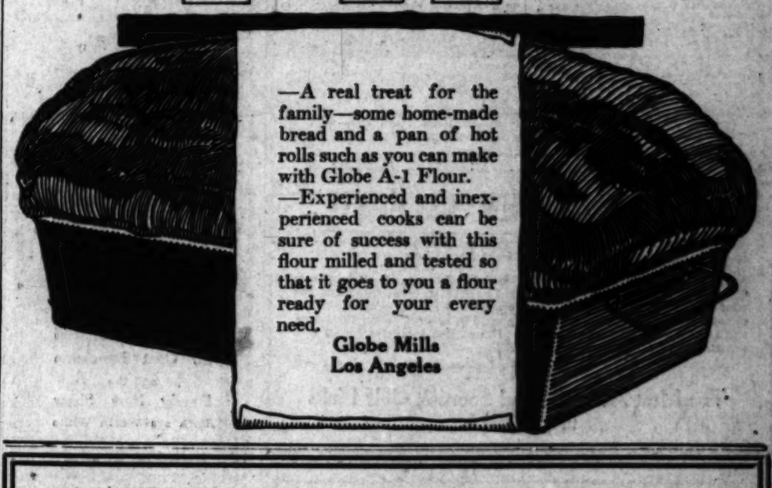

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OREGON UNIVERSITY CANADIANS TO WAR.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) May 16.—Mack Eastman, a Canadian recruiting sergeant, opened an office today to recruit Canadian university men in Oregon for overseas service with the western universities battalion. Eastman was formerly professor of modern English history at the University of British Columbia at Vancouver.

REICHSTAG PASSES ALSACE QUESTION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) May 16, 6:06 p.m.—Discussion of Alsace in the Reichstag was postponed despite the protests of the Socialists. Georg Ledebour, the Socialist leader, referring to the reports that Alsace-Lorraine would be divided between Prussia and Bavaria, declared that the answer to such an intention would be proclamation of a German republic.

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WILSON ADVISES SUFFRAGE POLICY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—President Wilson has written a letter to Representative Pou of the House Rules Committee suggesting that the creation of a special House Committee on woman suffrage might be a wise act of public policy. The President said he had no desire to interfere with such matter, but pointed out that he had been told that an approval by him of the idea might result in creation of such a committee. In his letter he did not deal with the merits of the woman's suffrage question.

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But Free Hand in Asia will be Asked After War.

Editors and Publicists Want More Vigorous Policy.

Christianity is Excoriated by Well-known Writer.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 16.—Japan does not contemplate sending a war mission to the United States as reported in recent dispatches from the Far East, according to high administration officials. The questions under consideration at the conferences now proceeding in Washington do not involve the interests of the oriental power, it is pointed out. Moreover, Japan has already frequently waived her right to representation at the Allied conferences held abroad.

Japan, it is stated, is much more interested in the post bellum arrangements than in any of the immediate problems confronting the Allied powers. The Japanese press, according to reports reaching Washington, is becoming more insistent each month that the government adopt a stronger foreign policy. Many of the foremost editors and publicists have declared vigorously for a Japanese hegemony over Asia, and it is believed this will be incorporated in the oriental nation's proposed peace settlement after the war. A statement of this view, written by Usooke Wakamaya, one of the foremost sociologists in Japan, appeared recently in the Chuwo Koron.

WAKAMAYA WRITES.

After excoriating Christianity and western civilization, Dr. Wakamaya writes:

"The great Asia policy is a means of self-defense. It is a declaration with the object of sweeping away from Asia all the anti-Asiatic influences which are robbing or are trying to rob the Asiatics of their heritage in Asia. More concretely speaking, it is a new ideal to reject European and American influences which recognize Asia but do not recognize the Asiatics and to build up Asia for the Asiatics.

"Speaking in terms of common parlance, it is the desire of the new Asiatics to establish independence of Asiatic civilization in order to overwhelm western civilization, which is already showing signs of bankruptcy.

"It is their sign of awakening of prayer.

"Speaking in economic terms, it is a demand for a new unprecedented system, with Asia as the center of world industry, and based upon the principle of avoiding the restraint of foreign forces by self-balancing Asia's demand and supply.

"Those who, carried away by western learning, think that western civilization is the ideal civilization of humanity should look at the example of international bankruptcy of Germany, or at the present state of internal lack of unity in Great Britain. We now see an example before us of the front wheels of a wagon overturning. Our great Asia policy should be one which will either maintain its own peculiar ground against western civilization, which has so many weaknesses, or one which can overwhelm western civilization.

"An indirect cause of calling for establishment of a great Asia policy is that western civilization cannot be greatly depended upon. In other words, that policy should expose the existing state of western civilization, which is partly based upon greed and plunder.

"The direct reason for establishing the great Asia policy is, needless to say, the unlawful pressure of western power upon Asia. There is humanity even among robbers, who have their own language of morality which sounds plausible. But the justice of the west is injustice for Asia and the humanity of the most brutality for Asia. Where is there ground in possession of a western nation without the sign, 'No admission for Asiatics?'

"In short, westerners exclude Asiatics wherever possible. They take every opportunity to establish their power, whether in the west or in the east, by robbing the Asiatics of their future. Westerners are selfish and self-centered. The fate of Asia is now hanging in the balance. Either the Asiatics must submit to the selfish will of the westerners or strike out for themselves by establishing a great Asia policy to restrain westerners."

WILSON BOOSTS ADVERTISING CLUBS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Herbert S. Houston, president of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, today made public a message from President Wilson on the aims of the organization's thirteenth annual convention, to be held in St. Louis June 3. The President wrote:

"May I not congratulate the Associated Advertising Clubs upon their purpose to assist in mobilizing the best thought and promoting greater activity in all lines of business in these times of stress and exigency?

"It would be of the greatest benefit if the convention could be employed to steady business and clear the air of doubt and misgiving in order to make for greater unity of purpose in winning the great war for democracy and civilization.

"WOODROW WILSON."

PHI BETA KAPPA ADMITS BALFOUR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Arthur J. Balfour, Great Britain's Foreign Secretary, and eight other members of the British war mission, will be admitted here tomorrow to honorary membership into the Phi Beta Kappa, the American fraternity of scholarship.

TWO AVIATORS INJURED.

[BY A. P. WIRE.]

NEWPORT NEWS (Va.) May 16.—Ted Hequembourg, instructor, and Lawrence Curtis of Boston, student, were injured this morning when a flying boat in which Hequembourg was giving Curtis a lesson fell a distance of about fifty or seventy-five feet at the Atlantic Coast aeronautical station here. Officials of the station stated that the accident was caused by banking too sharply.

Our Ships Patrolling

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once put to sea, the men, from captains to seamen, looking in the pink of condition and apparently enthusiastic for their task.

"They are certainly a fine body of men, and, what's more, their craft look just as fit," said the British commander as he watched the destroyers file seaward.

One of the American destroyers began war duty even before reaching this side of the Atlantic. This when it picked up and escorted through the danger zone one of the largest of the Atlantic liners. This pleased the passengers on board and they sent a message of appreciation to the commander of the destroyer.

LINER'S MESSAGE.

The message reads:

"British passengers on board a steamer bound for a British port under the protection of an American torpedo-boat destroyer send their hearty greetings to her commander and her officers and crew, and desire to express their keen appreciation of this practical co-operation between the government and peoples of the United States and the British empire, who are now fighting together for the freedom of the seas."

Many enthusiastic persons managed to get snapshots of the American vessels in Queenstown harbor, but the best pictures, and those that are destined to become famous, are moving pictures taken by the official British government photographer as the flotilla steamed into port. With his camera mounted on a small tugboat the operator went out to meet the destroyers and filmed them from many angles.

BRIEF SHORE LEAVE.

On arriving in Queenstown some members of the crews of the destroyers were granted brief shore leaves. They were fairly made captives by the townspeople, who insisted on taking them to their homes, where they pleased the sailors with good things to eat and drink. They were the first American naval men seen in these parts for many years, and they were bombarded with questions concerning the happenings in America by people who have relatives there.

As they wandered through the streets the Americans observed the Stars and Stripes flying from many buildings. They were told that these were hoisted to celebrate the entry of the United States into the war and had been left there as an honor to the American sailors whom they had been expecting.

ADMIRALTY STATEMENT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16.—The Admiralty today announced the arrival of American destroyers in British waters.

The following announcement was given out:

"The British Admiralty states that a flotilla of United States destroyers recently arrived in this country to co-operate with our naval forces in the prosecution of the war."

DANIELS'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Formal announcement that American destroyers manned by picked crews have carried the flag of the war zones of Europe, and are operating against German submarines with British and French war vessels, was made tonight by Secretary Daniels after the news had come from London. The number and names of the vessels were not disclosed. It was made clear, however, that the fighting power of the nation was to be exerted to its utmost to stamp out the U-boat menace.

The Secretary's statement follows:

"United States naval vessels have been operating with the Allied naval forces in European waters since May 4. A number of destroyers sailed from American ports in the latter part of April, and all arrived at their destination without accident or delay of any kind. They were ready for operations when they arrived, and went into service immediately.

SIMS IN COMMAND.

"The United States vessels are under command of Rear-Admiral Sims, who went to England and France several weeks ago to arrange for active co-operation between the naval forces of the United States and those of the other nations at war with Germany. Plans formulated after receipt of reports from Rear-Admiral Sims, made as a result of his conferences with the British and French admiralties, are now being effectuated.

"It has been the purpose of the United States Navy to give the largest measure of assistance to the other countries at war with Germany that is consistent with the full and complete protection of our own coasts and territorial waters.

"The Navy Department has received no reports that engagements have occurred between the United States vessels now in European waters and the vessels of the enemy."

The disposition of the destroyers has been left entirely to Rear-Admiral Sims, who has worked out a careful plan for use of the vessels placed under his command after conferences both with the British and French admiralties.

Admiral Sims was selected for the task because of his wide general experience in the navy, and also because of particular training in destroyer operations.

DESTROYERS EFFICIENT.

Destroyers have proved the most efficient foe of submarines. Their value has been so great that all possible effort has been concentrated by the Navy Department upon adding to the American flotillas in the shortest time. More than fifty new boats, swifter, more powerful and seaworthy and more heavily armed than any now in service are being built with all possible haste. Several will be commissioned early in the summer. Others will be ready a few months later, and still others at intervals of a few months thereafter.

American destroyers are sturdy craft, built for duty at sea. Special attention was given to selecting the crews. Not a man will be sent to European waters who has not had experience and training in destroyer duty.

Rear-Admiral Gleaves, chief of the Atlantic flotilla, is busy with vessels remaining on this side training additional men for service either in American or European waters. With a great rush of recruits to draw upon, all young, eager men ready for any danger in service against the enemy, he is turning out additional personnel for the flotilla that promises to fulfill American navy traditions for daring and efficiency.

PLANS GUARDED.

The department is guarding closely its plans for sending other craft than destroyers into the fighting zones. There can be no question, however, that every element of the fleet that can aid in the fight will be used to its utmost.

There does not appear to be any present necessity for heavy craft in addition to the British and French fleets. Destroyers and cruisers are holding the lines against the submarines, while the big ships are held in readiness to meet any attempt by the Germans to claim a place upon the surface of the sea. The American battle fleet stands as an additional line behind the mighty armada the Allies can fling into such a fight.

BEATTY'S STATEMENT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16.—Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty, commander of the British grand fleet, has sent the following message to Admiral Henry T. Mayo, commander of the United States Atlantic fleet:

"The grand fleet rejoices that the Atlantic fleet now will share in preserving the liberties of the world and maintain the chivalry of the sea."

Admiral Mayo replied:

"The United States Atlantic fleet appreciates the message from the British fleet and welcomes opportunities for work with the British fleet for the freedom of the seas."

FRENCH COMMISSION THANKS 'AMERICANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Speaking for Vice-Premier Viviani, Marshal Joffre and other members of the French war mission, General Counselor Hovelaque issued a statement tonight thanking the American people for the reception accorded the mission during its tour of the Eastern and Middle Western States.

"The whole mission," he said, was deeply gratified by the reception it met with everywhere, and not only gratified, but surprised, at the universal enthusiasm shown."

AMERICAN GIVES LIFE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) May 16.—W. C. Clark, No. 140 Arcadia street, San Francisco, was listed in the Canadian casualty list today among Americans who had died of wounds.

"Conspicuous Success."

SUPPORT LIBERTY LOAN, UNION PACIFIC POLICY.

Judge Lovett Asks Every Employee of Great System to Subscribe as a Patriotic Duty, and the Railroad is Willing to Put up Certain Amounts for Any Worker Who Wishes to Do His Bit.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Every employee of the Union Pacific Railroad system has been asked to subscribe to the liberty loan by Judge R. S. Lovett, chairman of the board of directors, it was announced by the Liberty Loan Publicity Committee here tonight. The Union Pacific Company has already subscribed for $5,000,000 of the bonds.

In a notice addressed to "all officers, agents and employees of the Union Pacific system," Judge Lovett says that it is the "patriotic duty of every man and woman in the organization" to subscribe to the loan.

In order that the loan may be a "conspicuous success," the notice reads, the railroad will, on the request of any employee, subscribe to the loan in any amount up to and not exceeding 25 per cent. of the employee's yearly salary, charging interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. a year, the same rate borne by the bonds, and holding the bonds as security. The amount advanced by the company may be repaid in small monthly payments.

A committee of prominent theatrical managers has been appointed, the committee also announced, to co-ordinate all branches of the industry in promoting the success of the loan. The committee plans to have almost every theater and theatrical star in the country advertise the loan.

The resources of the country's banks will suffice not only for all business demands but also for the financial drain necessitated by the liberty loan, according to a statement tonight by James S. Alexander, president of the National Bank of Commerce. He also assured business men that there is no fear of their activities being curtailed by a possible lack of banking credit.

ITALIAN BANK AIDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Two hundred and fifty-five employees of the Bank of Italy here and its branches in Los Angeles and eleven other cities of the United States will subscribe to liberty-loan bonds in sums ranging from $50 to $10,000, bank officials announced late today.

SEATTLE WOMEN INVEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, May 16.—Trustees of the Seattle Ladies' Musical Club voted today to invest $2000 of the club's funds in United States bonds of the liberty loan.

HOBOKEN WILL BUY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HOBOKEN (N. J.) May 16.—Liberty-loan bonds to the amount of $100,000 will be bought by the city of Hoboken, the first municipality, so far as known here, to take such a step.

FIVE MILLION DOLLARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

YOUNGSTOWN (O.) May 16.—The Republic Iron and Steel Company has agreed to subscribe for $5,000,000 of the liberty-loan bonds, it was announced today.

M'ADOO STARTS TOUR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Secretary McAdoo starts late today on a tour of the Middle West on behalf of the $2,000,000,000 liberty loan. His first speech will be in Chicago tomorrow. He will speak at Omaha May 24 instead of at Lincoln. His speaking engagement at Denver also has been changed to May 22.

The Pacific Slope.

GIVE RIBBON AWARDS.

Sunday-school Convention Finds Crowd Patriotic.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, May 16.—Delegations from more than forty-two counties of the State today received their ribbon awards for convention standing at the annual convention of the California State Sunday-school Association, which closes a four-day session tomorrow night. The ceremony was one of the features of the convention.

A mobilization of the "old guard" of the convention occurred shortly before noon today. Men and women who have been active in the work of the association for half a century or longer were the honored guests. A reunion of all former presidents still living was also held jointly with the old-guard mobilization. Tribute to the senior membership was paid by Secretary C. R. Fisher.

The convention will close tomorrow night with a pageant.

PATRIOTIC SPIRIT AT CALIFORNIA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BERKELEY, May 16.—With a patriotic tone in all addresses and a sprinkling of military uniforms among the graduates and in the audience, the fifty-fourth commencement exercises of the University of California were held today in the Greek theater. Graduates who had begun drills at the officers' reserve training camp were granted leave of absence from camp to get their diplomas. Forty university cadets were given military commissions by Gov. William D. Stephens.

Out of the 1164 degrees awarded 181 were for doctors' degrees and higher honors, and 1027 for bachelors' degrees. After the graduation programme the alumni were scheduled to gather for their annual luncheon.

CLEAN RECORDS TO GET COMMISSIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—All former United States Army officers below the grade of major, who have clean records and were honorably discharged, may be commissioned as officers of the reserve corps subject to age requirements and physical examination, it was announced today by officers of the Western Department of the Army here. Hundreds of competent officers for the reserve corps will be secured under this ruling of the War Department, it was announced.

AWARD HONOR MEDAL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BERKELEY, May 16.—George Lawrence Maxwell of Woodland was today awarded the medal of the University of California as the most brilliant student of the graduating class. He majored in philosophy, taking the degree of bachelor of letters and science. He was commissioned captain of the university cadets by Gov. William D. Stephens.

TO APPOINT HOOVER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Formal announcement of the appointment of Herbert C. Hoover as executive of the food control agency, expected to be created by Congress, will be made as soon as the necessary laws have been enacted.

WARNS RUSSIANS MAY LYNCH ROOT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 16. — In an editorial headed "Safety First! A Warning," the Call, the Socialist organ in this city, today announced that it was "sincerely concerned for the personal safety of Mr. Elihu Root if the government persists in sending him to Russia.

"How can we feel certain the maddened revolutionists may not lynch him or at least run him into jail?" the editorial asks. "Who can trust such people in the tremendous ferment that now wages? Who can guarantee they will not remember Pouren and Rudqvicz and the Root amendment that would have delivered Russian political fugitives to these shores back into the hands of the Czar's hangman, and better the lesson by giving Elihu a taste of the medicine he wanted to administer to them?

"By the time he reaches the Russian shores the people, the masses, the rabble, may be in the same desperate mental condition that existed in Paris during the September massacres in the years of the great revolution. Has the government really considered the danger to which it may expose Mr. Root?"

PROPOSE CHILDREN FOR RELIEF WORK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Secretary Redfield today proposed that children go into the rag, waste paper and old iron business to raise funds for war relief work. He recommended that in every town and city an organization be formed to systematize the collection of junk by children.

Pending.

RELEASE OXMAN ON CASH BAIL

Supreme Court Grants Writ of Habeas Corpus.

Carry Plea to Higher Court After Dismissal.

Mine Workers Want New Trial for Mooney.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The State Supreme Court today granted a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Frank C. Oxman, Oregon cattleman accused of attempted subornation of perjury in connection with the trial of Tom J. Mooney. The writ was made returnable May 24 and the defendant was released on $10,000 cash bail.

Mooney was convicted and sentenced to the death penalty for alleged participation in the preparedness day parade bomb explosion which ten persons were killed. Oxman was the chief witness against him and is accused of attempting to induce F. E. Rigall of Chicago, Ill., to testify falsely in the case.

The Appellate Court today dismissed a writ of habeas corpus argued Monday and Oxman's attorney, Samuel Shortridge, immediately appealed to the Supreme Court for similar relief. In his application Oxman contends that the complaint upon which Oxman was held to answer in the Superior Court by Police Judge Matthew Brady was faulty. He also contended that the order of arrest issued by the Appellate Court was in effect a supersedeas and should have prevented Judge Brady from hearing the commitment.

TWO PETITIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—In announcing the decision of the Appellate Court, Justice John Richards said that only two questions were presented in the petition for the writ, involving sufficiency of evidence and whether the court in holding Oxman to answer complied with provisions of the Penal Code. Both questions were decided in the affirmative.

GOMPERS AIDS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Alleged perversion of evidence by which Thomas J. Mooney was convicted of murder has been laid before United States Attorney-General Gregory by Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation of Labor, according to a telegram made public here today by John A. Power, secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council. President Gompers' telegraphic message to O'Connell said he would have had a conference with the Attorney-General regarding newly discovered evidence in the Mooney case, and while the Department of Justice cannot act in the matter, I am to have conference with the state government representatives but I believe that a new and fair trial will be accorded Mooney."

The newly-discovered evidence referred to by President Gompers relates to charges of attempted subornation of perjury brought against Frank C. Oxman, who was a principal witness against Mooney. Oxman is now under arrest here on a perjury charge.

It also became known today that the United Mine Workers of America, representing $66,000 members, had appealed to Gov. William D. Stephens of California urging a new trial for Mooney.

FOR WOMAN'S TRIAL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Arrangements for the appearance as witnesses for the trial of Thomas J. Mooney for murder, growing out of a bomb explosion that last year killed ten persons, were completed today at a conference between Captain of Detectives Duncan Matheson and Asst. Dist.-Atty. Louis Brandenstein. It was understood nearly a score of witnesses will be called. The trial is fixed for next Monday. Mrs. Rena Mooney, wife of Thomas J. Mooney, is the wife of Thomas J. Mooney convicted of the murder and sentenced to death tomorrow, but execution is automatically stayed pending decision of his application for a new trial in the State Supreme Court.

LOCAD ATTORNEY PRAISED.

Declares Young Shorter's Integrity had Been Questioned.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Robert Brennan, a Los Angeles attorney, testified today in the contest of Frederick William Shorter of Tacoma to gain control of the $2,600,000 estate of the late Frederick William Sharon. He mentioned about Attorney Shorter's standing in the land, who originally represented young Sharon. Brennan declared Noland's integrity had been questioned in a case in which they were associated.

Workings Exposed.

BLACK HAND CONFESSION TELLS OF MURDER RING

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The workings of a black-hand society of 150 members, which has operated in and near San Francisco for eleven years, committed several murders, destroyed dwellings and committed other crimes, were detailed today in a confession which Chief of Police White announced he has obtained from Joseph Pedone, under sentence of life imprisonment here for the murder of Gaetano Ingrassia last Thanksgiving Day.

Pedone, according to White, enumerated five murders committed by the organization in the last four years and gave a list of twenty-eight houses blown up or burned. In 1913 the gang killed Mrs. [illegible] Banacorse of Monmouth [illegible] she refused to give them money demanded in threatening letters, it is said. The other alleged murders were committed in the [illegible] and included the killing of [illegible] Mello here in 1914, the [illegible] an unnamed Greek, the [illegible] witness to the same murder, and the murder of Ingrassia, who was killed in the conviction of Police Sergeant Martin-Franklin, recently appointed Minister to Mexico from Austria, and Capt. Lyons, master of the American steamship Missourian, sunk by a German submarine, the first week of April by a bomb explosion that [illegible] ten persons, was [illegible] today at a conference between Captain of Detectives Duncan Matheson and Asst. Dist.-Atty. Louis Brandenstein. It was understood nearly a score of witnesses will be called. The trial is fixed for next Monday. Mrs. Rena Mooney, wife of Thomas J. Mooney convicted of the murder and sentenced to death tomorrow, but execution is automatically stayed pending decision of his application for a new trial in the State Supreme Court.

Reports that the French Ambassador to Austria will Confer with Lansing.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Frederic Penfield, American Ambassador to Austria up to the time diplomatic relations were severed, arrived here today on a French steamship. He was accompanied by his wife and child. It would be [illegible], go immediately to Washington for a conference with Secretary Lansing.

Among other passengers were M. Martin-Franklin, recently appointed Minister to Mexico from France

MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Believes in Obeying Orders as Given. . . . . By BUD FISHER.

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In Woodpile.

OFFER IRELAND PARTIAL RULE.

Lloyd George Voices Wishes of Government.

Will Grant Home Control to Greater Part.

Redmond Hears Proposal for Instant Action.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16. — Premier Lloyd George's letter to Mr. Redmond follows:

"Dear Mr. Redmond: The government has been considering for some time what further action they would take to bring about the settlement of the Irish question. They have approached the subject with a deep desire to put an end to a state of affairs which is productive of immense evil, not only to Ireland, but to Great Britain and the empire.

"The choice of alternatives open to them, however, has been narrowed by the fact that it is impossible for them, in the crisis of a war in which our safety and the liberty of most of the nations of Europe is at stake, to take action which would revive a violent political controversy, and so weaken or imperil the unity which is essential to the supreme necessity of winning the war. They have, therefore, felt that any settlement which they could propose during the war must be one which would be substantially accepted by both sides.

"They could have wished, in accordance with this principle, to enter upon negotiations with the Irish representatives, but this, as you know, was impossible, owing to the decision of your party not to negotiate with the government.

"The desire of the government has been to try to effect an immediate settlement, conceding the largest possible measure of home rule which can be secured by agreement at this moment, without prejudice to the undertaking by Parliament of a further and final settlement of the questions most in dispute after the war. They are, therefore, prepared to put forward proposals of the following lines with a view to present action:

IMMEDIATE RULE.

"First, they would introduce a bill for the immediate application of home rule to Ireland, but excluding therefrom the six counties of Northeast Ulster, such exclusion to be subject to reconsideration by Parliament at the end of five years, unless it is previously terminated by the action of the Council of Ireland, to be set up as hereinafter described.

"Secondly, with a view to securing the largest possible measure of common action for the whole of Ireland, the bill would provide for a council of Ireland, to be composed of two delegations, consisting, on the one hand, of all members returned to Westminster from the excluded area, and, on the other, of a delegation equal in numbers from the Irish Parliament, this council to be summoned on the initiative of any six members. It would be empowered by a majority of the votes of each of the delegations to pass private bill legislations affecting both the included and excluded areas; to recommend to the crown the extension to the excluded area, by an order in council, of any act of the Irish Parliament; to agree to the inclusion under the home-rule act of the whole of Ireland subject to the assent of a majority of the voters in the excluded area, the power to be vested in the crown in that case to extend the act to all of Ireland by an order in council; to make recommendations on its own initiative upon the Irish question, including the amendment of the home-rule act as finally passed. The president of this council of Ireland would be elected by agreement between the delegations, or in default of agreement would be nominated by the crown.

UNSATISFACTORY.

"Thirdly, the letter says that the financial proposals of the home rule bill are unsatisfactory and should be reconsidered. Important objects, such as the development of Irish industries, improvement in town housing and the furtherance of education, with increased pay for teachers, owing to the war conditions, it declares, cannot be dealt with under the bill without undue burden on the Irish taxpayers.

"Fourthly, the government would recommend that after the second reading of the bill embodying the above proposals, together with the home rule act, it should forthwith be considered by a conference to be constituted on the lines of the speakers' conference on electoral reform, though not consisting exclusively of members of Parliament, and meeting under the chairmanship of someone commanding the same general confidence in his impartiality and judgment as Mr. Speaker himself.

"The government feels that a proposal which provides for immediate home rule for the greater part of Ireland, while excluding that part of Ireland which objects to coming under the home rule act for a definite period, when Parliament will consider the matter afresh; which recognizes the profound sentiment existing in Ireland for the unity of the country by creating a common council to consider Irish affairs as a whole, and which finally sets up a representative conference to attempt to adjust the most difficult questions involved, is as far as they can possibly go towards effecting a legislative settlement in the crisis of a great war. They are prepared to introduce a bill on these lines.

ASKS SUPPORT.

"But they feel it would be idle, and I am sure you will agree with them, to introduce such a bill unless it were assured of something like a second reading acceptance from both Irish parties. I sincerely hope that if the government introduces this bill the party of which you are the head will give this measure of support to the proposals which give immediately self-government in Ireland to those who wish for it and will at the same time create and keep continuously in being the means whereby a final reconciliation between the two sections of the Irish people can at any time be brought about.

"We earnestly recommend the proposals which I have outlined above to the dispassionate consideration of the men of all parties. If upon such consideration a basis for immediate action is found in them we shall proceed at once with the necessary steps to carry them into effect. If this should not be the case there remains an alternative plan which though it has been sometimes seriously discussed, has never been authoritatively proposed —that of assembling a convention of Irishmen of all parties for the purpose of producing a scheme of Irish self-government.

"As you will remember the constitution of the Union of South Africa was framed, despite most formidable difficulties and obstacles, by a convention representative of the interests of all the parties of the country and the government believes a similar expedient might in the last resort be found effectual in Ireland. Would it be too much to hope that Irishmen of all creeds and parties might meet together in convention, for the purpose of drafting a constitution for their country, which should secure a just balance of all the opposing interests and finally compose the unhappy discords which have so long distracted Ireland and impeded its harmonious development?

"The government is ready, in default of the adoption of the present proposals for home rule, to take the necessary steps for assembling such a convention. I should be much obliged if you found it possible to give me your views on this letter in order to allow the government to consider the matter before Monday."

RELEASE GERMAN BOOKS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16, 7:04 p.m.—Some 3500 packages of books consigned from Germany to educational institutions in the United States have been released by the British prize court and are now on the way to America. The books are of a scientific nature.

GOMPERS'S MESSAGE STIRS GERMAN IRE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) May 16, 6 p.m.—Referring to the message of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to the council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates at Petrograd, in which the continuation of the efforts to overthrow German autocracy and militarism was urged, the German Social Democratic newspaper International Correspondenz says: "Mr. Gompers's exhortations are on the same level as though Herr Legien (Carl Rudolph Legien, president of the German Federation of Trades Unions,) should demand that we continue the war with America until the latter rid herself of her trust magnates and restored Cuba and the Philippines. Fortunately, not even Legien is such a war maniac."

INVITE AMERICAN TO AID MEXICO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Reorganization by an American of the governmental departments of Mexico is to be undertaken at the invitation of President Carranza of that country, it was learned here today. Robert Bruere, a New Yorker, formerly City Chamberlain, is on his way to Mexico City after having received from Carranza the proffer of a position which will be virtually that of efficiency expert.

TO TAKE MURDERER.

Minnesota Officials Arrive at San Francisco.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Dist.-Atty. Richard D. O'Brien of St. Paul and Detective S. W. Burnskill of Minneapolis arrived here today to prepare to take Joseph Redenbaugh, confessed murderer of Mrs. Alice Dunn and Policeman George Connery, to St. Paul for trial. Redenbaugh, arrested here last Friday with his wife, reaffirmed today his confession of the murders, the police said. A St. Paul detective went to Sacramento today to obtain Gov. William D. Stephens's signature to requisition papers for Redenbaugh and his wife. It is expected the party will leave here next Saturday. Mrs. Dunn was killed in her St. Paul home several weeks ago and Connery was shot to death in Minneapolis.

ADVISE GERMANS REGARDING MAIL.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) May 16, 7:10 p.m.—An announcement is published in the Frankfurter Zeitung, saying that since the entry of the United States into the war, it is no longer possible to escape the British postal censorship by sending mail to America by way of Norway and that therefore it is advisable for the German business men to conduct their correspondence with America in such a way as to give "the enemy no cause for objection."

ARMY NEEDS COOKS AND TEAMSTERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—An appeal for 150 teamsters, sixty-five bakers and twenty cooks for service in the reserve corps of the army was made today by the army authorities. Enlistments will be for the period of the war only and the men will be furnished, besides pay, board, quarters and medical attention. They will not be called into service until actually needed and after enlisting at headquarters, No. 646 Market street, San Francisco, may continue in their present occupations until formally called to the colors.

FIRE DAMAGES RUSS BOAT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—The steamship Princess Irene, formerly a German merchantman, was seriously damaged by the fire which broke out in the New York navy yard in Brooklyn last night, it was learned today. The fire was the second one at the yard within four days.

WHO FIRED BULLET?

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 16.—After nearly an hour's deliberation today a Coroner's jury was unable to determine whether the bullet that killed Grace Hagemann, 13 years old, was fired from a revolver held by herself or by her playmate, Doris Anderson, 14 years old.

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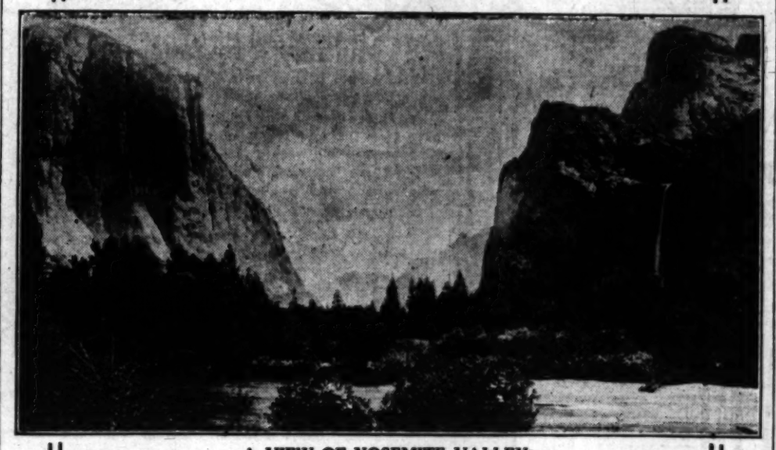

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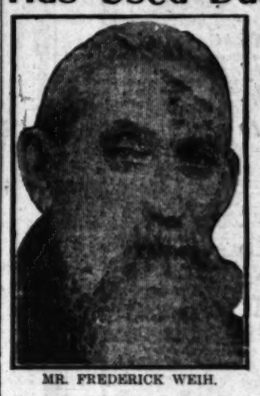

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Seraphs Flutter Out of Last Place and the Clawing Tigers Are Now in the Cella

Swimming.

MERCURY DUCKS UP AGAINST IT?

Instructor Veith Fears the Worst may Happen.

San Diego Team has a Tough Appearance.

Witt, Kilburn and Goodman Scheduled to Shine.

The San Diego Rowing Club and Los Angeles Athletic Club swimming teams will attempt to drown each other in the Mercury tank tonight. In order to make this justifiable homicide attractive to the public, twelve feature events have been arranged. Races, diving and special exhibitions will thrill the crowd throughout the evening and some Coast records are expected to go by the board.

For the past several weeks Prof. Frederick Vance Veith has done nothing but coach his prospects for the coming affair. He has had daily practices and claims that all of the men are in excellent shape for the strenuous battle.

The San Diego Rowing Club has an unusually strong team this season and they are confident of taking the honors from the locals. In the sprints they have some high-speed demons and their longer-distance candidates are all O.K. However, they expect to win the meet principally on second and third places. If they can cop a very few firsts and a large quantity of the smaller tallies they will have a strangle hold on the contest.

Although Veith is slightly worried, he is still confident that his men will be on the long end of the score at the finish. Goodman and Kilburn are counted on to nab points in the sprints. Witt is sure of some firsts in the longer events.

The meet will start promptly at 8 o'clock in the Los Angeles Athletic Club tank. The public is invited.

Following is the complete entry list and schedule of events:

Event No. 1—50-yard dash: Kilburn, L.A.A.C.; Goodman, L.A.A.C.; Charles Shield, S.D.R.C.; Dula, S.D.R.C.

Event No. 2—220-yard swim: Witt, L.A.A.C.; Field, L.A.A.C.; Burns, S.D.R.C.; McIntosh, S.D. R.C.

Event No. 3—220-yard breast stroke: Messenger, L.A.A.C.; Vint, L.A.A.C.; Greelman, S.D.R.C. Event No. 4—Men's diving: Williams, L.A.A.C.; Field, L.A.A.C.; Priest. No entries from S.D.R.C.

Event No. 5—440-yard swim: Witt, L.A.A.C.; Burns, S.D.R.C.; McIntosh, S.D.R.C.

Event No. 6—Alison Allen, diving exhibition.

Event No. 7—150-yard back stroke: Burns, L. A.A.C.; Clark, L.A.A.C.; Carraher, L.A.A.C.; White, S.D.R.C.

Event No. 8—C. C. C. Coffey, diving exhibition.

Event No. 9—100-yard dash: Goodman, L.A. A.C.; Howlett, L.A.A.C.; Dula, S.D.R.C.; Shields, S.D.R.C.

Event No. 11—Plunge for distance: Abegg, L. A.A.C.; Dula, L.A.A.C.; Shields, S.D.R.C.; Dula, S.D.R.C.

Event No. 11—100-yard dash (Juniors): Kegeris, L.A.A.C.; Valley, L.A.A.C.; Gisbert, S.D.R.C.

Event No. 12—Relay race: S.D.R.C.; Shields, Burns, Dula, McIntosh; L.A.A.C.; Goodman, Kilburn, Howlett, Dwyer Appling.

Managers of meet—Lee Henry; announcer—Charles Keppler; starter—Bob Wagner; timers—Bobb, Henry, Rosser and Adair; clerk of the course—E. Hood; assistants—A. Allen, V. Lidwig; supervisor—F. Vance Veith.

BOWLING NOTES.

At a meeting of the City Bowling Association last night, held at 522 South Broadway, the affairs of the first annual tournament were wound up by the presentation of money prizes and the All-Events Gold Medals for classes A, B and C.

Fifty hundred and fifty-two dollars in cash was distributed. It will be remembered that not one dollar of this sum came from donations, but entirely from entrance fees. The handsome gold medals were donated by the association. After all expenses were paid there remained a balance of $21.60. On motion of Mr. A. Stein this amount was given to the secretary for services well rendered.

President William M. Durkin, Jr., who presided, outlined a plan whereby a bowler holding a membership in the City Association would be eligible to bowl in all bowling leagues affiliated with the Los Angeles City Bowling Association.

This is following up an advancement put through at the San Jose convention of the Pacific Coast Bowling Association by Alfred Mackenzie of this city, whereby a bowler taking out a membership in a city bowling association under the jurisdiction of the P. C. B. A. would also be entitled to a membership in the P. C. B. A., the city association going fifty cents on each membership fee; in other words the annual dues to the P. C. B. A. is fifty cents, to the city bowling association fifty cents, each organization takes twenty-five cents and turns it over to the bowler, who saves fifty cents and the association increases its membership, which is pretty thoroughly demonstrated by the organization of the L. A. C. B. A. Heretofore the entrance fee to membership into the Los Angeles to the P. C. B. A. was ten. Under the new amendment 100 members joined the P. C. B. A. in a body from the city association, which means that the P. C. B. A. has actually increased its membership 50%, and added 125 more bowlers to its membership, and this isn't all. In the fall when the various leagues re-organize that are affiliated with the city association, this number will likely be increased to 250 or more.

There were seventy-five members present at the meeting and these old timers who attended and have been identified with the bowling game from its inception in Los Angeles, were unanimous that the first annual tournament of the Los Angeles City Bowling Association was the greatest and grandest bowling tournament staged in the history of the game in Los Angeles.

A vote of thanks was extended the officers of the organization and the meeting adjourned.

OAKS ARE DEFEATED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY, May 16.—Goodbred weakened in the fifth today after he had accumulated a three-run lead and Salt Lake pounded out a 5 to 3 victory. Leverenz had only one bad inning, the third, when a walk, a hit and his own error let in three Oaks. Score:

OAKLAND.	AB	R	H	O	A	SALT LAKE.	AB	R	H	O	A
Mensor,2b	2	1	0	2	0	Tobin,cf	3	0	0	2	0
Adams,1b	2	0	0	12	0	Rath,3b	3	0	1	0	1
Lane,cf	4	0	1	4	0	Bowler,1b	4	1	1	11	1
Lamil,lf	4	0	0	1	0	Ryan,lf	4	0	1	1	0
Miller,rf	4	1	1	2	1	Quinlan,rf	2	0	0	1	0
Arlett,2b	4	0	0	0	4	Orr,ss	4	0	0	2	3
Sheehan,ss	3	0	0	1	4	O'Leary,2b	3	1	1	1	3
Murray,c	4	0	0	7	1	Hannah,c	3	0	0	7	1
Goodbred,p	1	0	0	0	1	Leverenz,p	3	1	1	0	2
Roche,x	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	32	3	4	24	14	Totals	29	5	7	27	11

x—Batted for Goodbred in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Oakland	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Salt Lake	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5

SUMMARY.

Errors—Murray, Leverenz. Stolen base—Orr. Two-base hits—Goodbred, Lane, Tobin. Sacrifice hits—Rath, Quinlan. Bases on balls—Off Goodbred, 4; off Leverenz, 7. Struck out—By Goodbred, 2; by Leverenz, 7. Runs responsible for—Goodbred, 5; Leverenz, 1.

SEALS WIN A GAME.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—San Francisco drove Brenton from the box in the second inning by scoring five runs and won the game from Portland. Harrington relieved Brenton and held the Seals to two hits for five innings, but weakened in the eighth and permitted four men to cross the plate. Score:

PORTLAND.	AB	R	H	O	A	SAN FRANCISCO.	AB	R	H	O	A
Wacher,ss	4	0	0	2	3	Fagerld,rf	3	1	1	2	0
Rodgers,2b	4	0	2	1	2	Fisk,2b	3	0	1	1	2
Wilie,rf	4	0	0	2	0	Brenner,lf	4	1	2	12	0
Farmer,lf	4	2	1	1	0	Schaller,lf	3	2	2	1	0
Boehling,1b	4	0	2	14	1	Mohler,1b	3	0	1	9	0
Williams,cf	4	0	0	3	0	Meinel,cf	3	0	0	3	0
Siglin,3b	4	0	0	0	4	Corbett,ss	3	1	0	1	3
Fisher,c	4	0	0	4	1	Walker,c	3	1	0	7	0
Brenton,p	1	0	0	0	0	Baum,p	2	1	0	0	4
Harrington,p	0	0	0	0	0						
Hunt,x	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	33	3	5	29	15	Totals	30	9	9	27	14

x—Batted for Harrington in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Portland	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
San Francisco	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	x	9

SUMMARY.

Errors—Rodgers, Boehling, Koerner. Five runs, 3 hits, off Brenton, 4 at bat, in 1 2-3 innings; taken out in second, 2 on, 2 out, third base—Williams, Schaller. Two-base hits—Williams, 2; Fitzgerald, 2; Wilie, Downs, Farmer, Maisel. Sacrifice hits—Koerner, Cyrbaj. Bases on balls—Off Brenton, 2; off Baum, 3; off Harrington, 2. Struck out—Brenton, 1; by Baum, 3; by Harrington, 1. Hit by pitcher—Baum, by Brenton (Boehling). First base on errors—Portland, 1. Double plays—Downs to Koerner. Passed balls—Fisher, 2. Wild pitches—Brenton, Harrington. Runs responsible for—Harrington, 4; Baum, 5. Left on base—Portland, 5; San Francisco, 6. Charge defeat to Brenton.

National.

NINE STRAIGHT FOR THE CUBS.

Boston Drops Third in a Row to Leaders.

Losers Subscribe Heavily to War Loan.

Pittsburgh Easily Wallops the Phillies.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, May 16.—Chicago continued its winning streak and strengthened its hold on first place by defeating Boston, 8 to 0. It was Chicago's third straight victory over Boston and its ninth in a row. Members of the Boston club today subscribed over $2000 to the liberty bond issue. The score:

CHICAGO.	AB	R	H	O	A	BOSTON.	AB	R	H	O	A
Weilman,ss	5	1	1	0	3	McMillan,ss	4	0	0	2	3
Fleck,rf	5	1	2	1	0	Evers,2b	4	0	0	2	3
Doyle,2b	2	1	1	4	2	Twombly,cf	3	0	0	4	0
Merkle,1b	3	2	1	11	0	Smith,3b	4	0	1	1	2
Williams,cf	4	1	1	2	0	Gowdy,c	4	0	1	10	0
Maun,lf	4	1	1	1	0	Baller,lf	3	0	0	3	0
Elliott,3b	4	0	1	2	2	Gowdy,c	3	0	0	2	0
Wilson,c	4	0	1	9	1	Wilhoit,rf	3	0	0	2	0
Aldridge,p	4	1	1	0	7	Reulbach,p	3	0	0	0	3
						Magee,x	1	0	0	0	0
						Bagan,p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	8	10	26	17	Totals	36	0	3	27	10

Mansville out, hit by batted ball.
x—Batted for Reulbach in eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	8
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

SUMMARY.

Errors—Weilman, Evers, Gowdy, Reulbach. Two-base hits—Gowdy. Three-base hits—Maun, Merkle. Stolen bases—Weilman, Aldridge. Double plays—Reulbach to Mansville to Konetchy. Bases on balls—Off Aldridge, 2; off Reulbach, 4. Innings pitched—By Reulbach, 8; by Bagan, 1. Struck out—By Aldridge, 3; by Reulbach, 2.

MANY HOME RUNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—Pittsburgh hit three pitchers hard and defeated Philadelphia 12 to 4. In the third and fourth innings the visitors made seven hits off Oeschger which included three home runs. The score:

PITTSBURGH.	AB	R	H	O	A	PHILADELPHIA.	AB	R	H	O	A
Carey,cf	6	1	2	2	0	Paskert,cf	5	0	1	4	0
Higbee,2b	5	2	1	1	5	Stock,3b	4	0	1	2	3
Baird,3b	5	2	2	1	2	Cravath,rf	4	0	1	2	0
Rman,rf	4	3	1	1	1	Whitted,2b	4	0	1	2	3
Byrd,1b	5	1	1	11	0	Luderus,1b	2	0	1	7	1
King,lf	5	0	2	4	0	Paulette,lf	2	0	1	1	0
Fisher,c	5	2	2	6	0	Oeschger,p	1	0	0	0	0
McCabe,ss	5	2	1	2	3	Niehoff,2b	4	0	0	1	3
W. Cooper,p	3	0	1	1	2	McCarty,ss	4	0	0	1	1
						Killifer,c	3	1	1	5	0
						Fitzgerald,p	1	1	1	0	1
						Leverenz,p	0	0	0	0	0
						Adams,x	1	0	0	0	0
						Burns,xx	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	47	12	16	27	13	Totals	35	4	10	27	13

x—Batted for Leverenz in sixth.
xx—Batted for Fitzgerald in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Pittsburgh	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	5	x	12
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	4

SUMMARY.

Errors—Cravath, McGeehan. Two-base hits—Carey, Baird, McCarthy, W. Cooper, Luderus. Home runs—Hinchman, Fischer, 2; Adams. Stolen bases—Baird. Double play—McCarthy (unassisted.) Bases on balls—Off W. Cooper, 1; off Fitzgerald, 1; off Fitzgerald, 1. Innings pitched—By Oeschger, 5; by Lavender, 2; by Fitzgerald, 4. Struck out—By W. Cooper, 1; by Lavender, 3; by Fitzgerald, 1.

BASEBALL RIVALS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASO ROBLES, May 16.—The keen rivalry between the baseball teams of the various districts east of Paso Robles has finally resulted in a series of games to be played during the next few months. Five teams are in the field, including San Miguel, Annette, Shandon, Union and Creston.

LONG BATTLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL CENTRO, May 16.—The twenty-five-round battle between Joe Golindo and Walter Kane for the lightweight championship of the Pacific Coast will take place in the bull ring at Mexicali, Sunday, May 27. Tom Sharkey, the famous stellar slugger, will referee the match.

TENNIS GETS A RUNNING START.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, May 16.—The Tennis Club of this city has started a tournament to determine who will represent the club in other tournaments to be held this summer and especially in the big one that is planned for this city when it is expected to have the Suttons, Bundy, McLoughlin and other players here.

The concrete courts of the Y.M.C.A. are to be used and the club is having a thick surface of asphalt placed on them so as to give the resilience needed for good playing.

The results so far have been: Herbert Hubbard won from Thomas Taylor by default; Vinton Gregory won from Franklin Pierce by default; E. E. Dow lost to V. Kincaid, 4-6, 6-1, 6-3; W. Tillotson won from H. C. Ide 6-0, 6-0; Charles Hersee won from Karl Grassle 6-2, 3-6, 6-4.

LEAGUE STANDINGS.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.c.		W.	L.	P.c.
Salt Lake	21	12	.636	Portland	16	19	.457
S. Francisco	20	16	.556	Los Angeles	15	21	.396
Oakland	20	20	.500	Vernon	16	23	.360

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Los Angeles, 7; Vernon, 6.
Salt Lake, 5; Oakland, 3.
San Francisco, 9; Portland, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.c.		W.	L.	P.c.
Chicago	21	9	.700	Boston	13	12	.520
New York	18	7	.720	Cincinnati	12	15	.444
Philadelphia	15	12	.556	Pittsburgh	9	20	.310
St. Louis	14	10	.583	Brooklyn	6	14	.300

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Pittsburgh, 12; Philadelphia, 4.
Chicago, 8; Boston, 0.
All other games postponed—wet grounds.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.c.		W.	L.	P.c.
Boston	17	7	.708	St. Louis	14	15	.500
New York	15	7	.682	Detroit	10	16	.385
Chicago	19	12	.613	Washington	10	17	.370
Cleveland	15	15	.500	Philadelphia	7	17	.292

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

New York, 5; St. Louis, 2.
Chicago, 8; Philadelphia, 3.
Washington, 3; Detroit, 1.
Boston, 5; Cleveland, 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	P.c.		W.	L.	P.c.
Indianapolis	26	7	.787	Milwaukee	10	15	.400
Louisville	21	11	.656	Toledo	10	15	.400
Columbus	16	15	.552	Minneapolis	8	14	.364
Kansas City	12	12	.500	St. Paul	8	17	.320

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Columbus, 7; St. Paul, 6.
Toledo, 7; Kansas City, 2.
Minneapolis, 7; Louisville, 3.
Milwaukee, 10; Indianapolis, 7.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.c.		W.	L.	P.c.
Des Moines	14	7	.667	Denver	10	11	.476
Lincoln	14	8	.636	Joplin	9	12	.429
Sioux City	13	8	.619	St. Joseph	6	14	.300
Omaha	11	8	.579	Wichita	6	16	.324

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Omaha, 11, Joplin, 10.
Denver, 4; St. Joseph, 2.
No other games scheduled.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	P.c.		W.	L.	P.c.
New Orleans	23	9	.719	Memphis	15	19	.441
Atlanta	21	13	.618	Little Rock	13	19	.406
Birmingham	19	14	.576	Nashville	14	21	.400
Chattanooga	18	14	.563	Mobile	10	24	.294

MAILS RELEASED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH, May 16.—The release of Walter Mails, pitcher, and Jess Allenburg, outfielder, was announced today by the Pittsburgh Nationals. Mails goes to the Portland (Or.) Pacific Coast club and Allenburg to the Toronto club of the International League.

TRACK MEETS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 16.—Athletic training is valuable in military service and for that reason championship events of the Central A.A.U. will be held this summer as scheduled, according to an official ruling of the organization announced here today.

American.

WHITE SOX IN THIRD VICTORY.

Athletics Lose Through Poor Fielding.

Boston has no Trouble in Winning Game.

Extra Innings too Much for Groom.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 16. — Chicago made it three straight from Philadelphia, 3 to 2. Bush's wild throw of E. Collins's grounder, following an error by Witt in the eighth, gave the locals the winning run. The score:

PHILADELPHIA.	AB	R	H	O	A	CHICAGO.	AB	R	H	O	A
Witt,ss	4	0	0	1	4	Lisbold,rf	4	1	1	1	0
Strunk,cf	4	0	1	2	0	Weaver,3b	4	1	1	0	6
Bodie,lf	3	1	1	3	0	Felsch,cf	4	0	1	2	0
Baker,3b	3	0	0	4	4	Jackson,lf	4	0	1	1	0
McInnis,1b	4	0	0	9	0	Felsch,rf	4	0	0	1	0
Fisher,rf	4	0	0	1	1	Jourdan,1b	3	0	0	11	0
Grover,2b	2	0	0	2	1	Risberg,ss	3	0	0	1	3
Meyer,c	3	0	0	7	0	Lynn,c	3	0	0	5	0
Bush,p	3	0	1	0	4	Williams,p	3	0	0	0	3
Shanks,x	1	0	0	0	0	Ciotte,p	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	7	24	14	Totals	37	3	7	27	8

x—Batted for Grover in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3

SUMMARY.

Errors—Witt, Grover, Bush. Two-base hits—Bush, Lewis, Strunk, Bodie, McInnis. Home runs—Strunk, Grover. Double play—Bates to Mclnnis. Bases on balls—Off Bush, 2. Innings pitched—By Williams, 9 1-3; by Ciotte, 2-3. Struck out—By Bush, 3; by Williams, 2.

MAYS EFFECTIVE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CLEVELAND, May 16. — Boston made it two out of three from Cleveland, 5 to 1. Mays was very effective. He also drove in one of his team's runs with a two-base hit. The Score:

BOSTON.	AB	R	H	O	A	CLEVELAND.	AB	R	H	O	A
Walsh,cf	3	0	1	2	0	Graney,lf	4	0	0	2	0
Harris,rf	3	0	0	1	0	Chapman,ss	4	0	1	2	3
Hoblitzel,1b	4	0	1	10	1	Speaker,rf	4	0	0	2	0
Lewis,lf	4	0	0	1	0	Roth,cf	4	0	0	1	0
Shorten,cf	4	0	0	1	0	Wamsganss,2b	4	0	0	1	4
Gardner,2b	4	0	0	1	2	Miller,1b	4	0	1	12	1
Scott,ss	3	0	0	2	3	Evans,3b	3	0	0	1	2
Thomas,c	3	1	0	6	0	O'Neill,c	2	0	0	2	0
Mays,p	3	1	2	0	2	Billings,x	0	0	0	0	0
						Bagby,p	0	0	0	0	0
						Boehling,p	0	0	0	0	0
						Allison,1	0	0	0	0	0
						Harl'ss,xx	1	0	0	0	0
						Harris,xxx	0	0	0	0	0
						Hav'ghs,x	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	5	11	27	12	Totals	30	1	4	27	15

x—Batted for O'Neill in seventh.
xx—Batted for Bagby in eighth.
xxx—Batted for Boehling in ninth.
x—Batted for Billings in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

SUMMARY.

Error—Evans. Two-base hits—Hoblitzel, Scott, Mays. Shorten, Chapman. Home runs—Mays. Double play—Hoblitzel to Mays. Bases on balls—Off Mays, 3; off Bagby, 4. Innings pitched—By Bagby, 6; by Boehling, 1. Struck out—By Mays, 5; by Bagby, 1.

GROOM GOES WILD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, May 16. — Groom's wild pitching in the eleventh scored High with the winning run and New York took the third straight game from St. Louis, 5 to 2. The score:

NEW YORK.	AB	R	H	O	A	ST. LOUIS.	AB	R	H	O	A
Hendrys,rf	5	1	1	0	0	Shotton,lf	4	0	0	4	0
High,lf	5	0	1	2	0	Austin,3b	5	1	2	0	1
Maisel,2b	3	0	1	1	4	Baker,1b	5	0	0	12	0
Pipp,1b	5	0	1	14	0	Jacobson,rf	4	0	1	2	0
Sand,3b	4	2	2	1	2	Maranse,cf	4	0	1	2	0
Miller,cf	3	1	1	5	0	Johnson,2b	4	0	1	4	2
Pratt,ss	4	0	0	2	3	Severeid,c	4	0	1	5	0
Walters,c	3	0	1	1	1	Lavan,ss	4	0	0	1	3
Caldwell,p	5	0	0	0	2	Groom,p	3	0	0	0	2
Totals	37	5	7	25	16	Totals	38	2	7	33	13

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
New York	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	5
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2

SUMMARY.

Errors—Baker, Peckinpaugh, Shotton, Severeid. Two-base hits—Severeid. Three-base hit—Hendrys. Home run—Baker. Stolen bases—Hendrys, Maisel, Miller. Double play—Peckinpaugh to Maisel to Pipp. Bases on balls—Off Caldwell, 3; off Groom, 6. Struck out—By Caldwell, 5; by Groom, 4.

SENATORS VICTORIOUS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DETROIT, May 16.—Washington bunched hits with bases on balls and errors by the home team and defeated Detroit, 5 to 1. The score:

WASHINGTON.	AB	R	H	O	A	DETROIT.	AB	R	H	O	A
Judge,1b	4	0	0	13	1	Vitt,3b	4	0	2	0	4
Foster,3b	3	0	1	1	2	Young,2b	4	0	0	2	3
Milan,cf	3	1	1	2	0	Cobb,rf	4	0	1	2	0
Rice,rf	4	1	2	3	0	Veach,lf	4	0	0	2	0
Smith,lf	4	1	3	3	0	Heilmann,cf	4	0	0	2	0
Shanks,lf	3	1	1	1	0	Burns,1b	4	0	1	11	1
Morgan,2b	3	1	2	2	3	Dyer,ss	4	0	0	1	3
Henry,c	3	1	2	5	0	Stanage,c	4	0	0	4	1
Crane,ss	3	0	0	1	2	Mitchell,p	2	0	0	1	0
Gallia,p	4	0	2	0	3	E. Jones,p	0	0	0	0	0
						Cunham,p	0	0	0	0	0
						Crawford,x	1	0	0	0	0
						Nig'em,xx	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	6	11	27	11	Totals	32	1	4	27	11

x—Batted for C. Jones in seventh.
xx—Batted for Cunningham in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Washington	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	5
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

SUMMARY.

Errors—Cobb, Burns, Dyer, 2. Two-base hits—Henry, 2; Vitt, Foster. Three-base hits—Gallia, Young. Double plays—Young (unassisted); Crane to Morgan to Judge; Spencer to Dyer. Bases on balls—Off Gallia, 5; off Mitchell, 5. Innings pitched—By Mitchell, 8 1-3; by C. Jones, 1 2-3; by Cunningham, 2. Struck out—By Mitchell, 1; by C. Jones, 1; by Cunningham, 2; by Gallia, 1.

COULON CANDID.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 16.—"He's too big and strong for me, that's all there is to it. I have no excuses to offer at all for my failure." This was the simple statement made by Johnny Coulon today when he returned from Racine, where he was knocked out by Pete Herman, bantam champion, Monday night, in a battle that went less than three rounds. "It is not surprising to me now that Herman beat Williams for the title," he said, "for he is a great little man and seems to have everything. As for his hitting I can only refer you to the general result."

BEARS SWIPE CARD BANNER.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, May 16.—Stanford was startled today at the news that Stanford-California athletic rivalry had broken out in New York and that the first American flag to be sent to the battlefields of France had been captured from its custodian, a Stanford man, by members of the University of California ambulance corps, en route to France.

Arthur Kimber of Palo Alto, a Stanford senior, was given the flag to take to France at a leave-taking held recently in San Francisco. The story of the California steal reached here from Kimber today, and in thrills rivals the famous coup several years ago when a Berkeley delegation captured the Stanford ax. Kimber is traveling to France alone as the vanguard of the second Stanford ambulance unit.

During a parade held in honor of the California students the flag was snatched from Kimber and hurried away in a fast auto. Kimber gave chase in a passing motor car, picked up a policeman and after a chase of twenty blocks overhauled the Californians. No arrests were made, but the "cop" ordered that the flag be turned over to the Stanford guardian.

According to Kimber's message, he will sail on a special steamer to insure safe passage of the flag to the front.

Trouble.

PLAYERS WARNED OF SALARY CUT.

MEN MUST STAND PERCENTAGE OF THE LOSS.

American Association Magnates in Favor of Giving up Schedule Unless Players Agree to Accept Less Money—Final Series with International to be Dropped.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MINNEAPOLIS, May 16.—M. E. Cantillon, president of the Minneapolis club of the American Association, discussing the local baseball situation tonight, declared "that unless the players are willing to accept a percentage of the losses we will have to drop baseball for the season."

According to Mr. Cantillon, the player's salary had eaten up baseball profits for the last four or five years.

"The baseball situation has come to a stage where matters must adjust themselves to fit conditions, or there will be no baseball," Mr. Cantillon said. "With an attendance of about 800 on weekdays and 4000 Sundays, we cannot pay out the money we did with a daily attendance of 2500."

Mr. Cantillon said he did not intend to cheapen baseball by replacing high-salaried players, but that players should accept reductions.

"I am in favor of dropping baseball for the season. There are other clubs in the American Association in favor of dropping the game. I am also in favor of dropping the series with the International League this year. I do not suppose there will be a minor league in operation by July 4, unless it is of the larger minors

Concentrating.

ALLIES UNITING, MILUKOFF OUT.

Various Conflicting Forces in Full Agreement.

Platitude of Powers for the Government Favored.

New Foreign Secretary One of Country's Ablest Men.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, May 16 (via London).—Paul N. Milukoff, Minister of Foreign Affairs, has resigned, leaving the Cabinet altogether. M. Terestchenko, Minister of Finance, has been appointed Foreign Minister, and A. F. Kerensky, previously Minister of Justice, has been named Minister of War and Marine.

Thus the government and the radicals who have been hampering its activities have reached an agreement on three important points and a cabinet reconstruction has been effected.

Following the publication of important Cabinet changes, including the retirement of Prof. Milukoff from the Cabinet, the official news agency issued this statement:

"The three cardinal points upon which the government, the Executive Committee of the Duma and the council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates have agreed are:

"The unity of the Allied fronts.

"The fullest confidence of the revolutionary democracy in the reconstructed Cabinet.

"A platitude of powers for the government."

Prof. Milukoff's decision to retire from the Cabinet was announced at a meeting of the provisional government held last night. Its cause, the official news agency states, was a difference in views on the reorganization of the Cabinet.

LVOFF'S STATEMENT.

It was suggested that Premier Lvoff should take charge of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, but the Premier declined. Finally, the majority decided it was best to intrust the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to M. Terestchenko, while M. Kerensky was appointed Minister of War and Marine.

The probable composition of the entire Cabinet, as reported today, is given as follows:

Premier and Minister of the Interior, Prince G. A. Lvoff (the incumbent.)

Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Terestchenko (now Minister of Finance.)

Minister of Finance, A. I. Shingarev (now Minister of Agriculture.)

Minister of Commerce and Industry, A. I. Konovaloff (now Minister of Trade and Commerce.)

Minister of Communications, N. V. Nekrasoff (the incumbent.)

Minister of War, A. F. Kerensky (now Minister of Justice.)

Minister of Marine, M. Skobeleff, president of the council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates.

Admiral Koltchak, commander of the Black Sea fleet.

Minister of Agriculture, M. Peshekoff, a revolutionary Socialist.

Minister of Labor, M. Gvozdeff, a Social Democrat.

Minister of Justice, M. Nikitine, a young lawyer and Social Democrat.

Minister of Education, M. Manantkvitch, an Odessa lawyer and Social Democrat.

Minister of Munitions, M. Pechkoff, a National Socialist.

NEW FOREIGN SECRETARY.

The new Foreign Secretary is 32 years old and regarded as one of the ablest men of Russia. Originally a member of one of the richest families and the so-called "beet-sugar king of Kiev," he came into prominence at the outset of the war as a member of former War Minister Guchkoff's war industries board. Soon he was put in charge of foreign exchange and achieved the success that he was made Minister of Finance by the new government.

The former Minister of Justice Kerensky, the new Minister of War, was at the beginning of the revolution the most popular man in Petrograd, as the link between the conservative moderates, then in power, and the radical Socialists, who were demanding executive reforms. Kerensky is a social revolutionary and is 36 years old. Throughout he has labored to restrain the radical elements by his great personal influence over one of them.

APPEAL TO SOCIALISTS.

The following are passages from the address to Socialists of Germany issued by the council:

"Whatever may be the vicissitudes of the war, the imperialists of all countries are everywhere victorious in their struggle, which has given them and is still giving them fantastic profits and is gathering in their hands enormous capital, and they, with unheard-of violence over labor and over the very throat of workingmen. The workers of all countries are defeated and are paying on the altar of imperialism enormous sacrifices in life, well-being and liberty.

"The revolutionary democracy of Russia does not desire a separate peace, but desire a peace which would loose the hands of the Austro-German alliance. It is aware that such a peace would be a betrayal of the cause of liberty and of labor in all countries. Such a peace would by such an act be paralyzed in the face of a victorious imperialism. It knows that a peace may lead to the slavery of other countries and to the triumph of the ideals of Chauvinism throughout Europe which would be a menace to confidence in a state where it would inevitably prepare in the future for a fresh and sanguinary conflict.

"The Russian revolutionary democracy addresses itself in the first place to the Socialists of the Allied countries. You must not allow the policy of the Russian provisional government to remain isolated from the policy of the Allied powers. You must force your governments to proclaim openly the platform of peaceful explanations and indicate the basis of the rights of nations to settle their destinies. You will thus afford our revolutionary army, which desires to unite the peoples, the assurance that its bloody sacrifices will not be used in an evil manner.

"We will force the governments of conquest and usurpation, pillage and violence, and openly to recognize this calling upon the just anger of

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Salutary.

REDFIELD URGES PEACE WITH LABOR.

WORK HAND IN HAND, ADVICE TO MANUFACTURERS.

Secretary Declares General Efficiency Must not be Interrupted by Local Misunderstandings. Word in Every Factory Should be "Produce," Plea to Managers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Asserting that co-operation is the need of the hour in America, William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce, today made an urgent plea to members of the National Association of Manufacturers in convention here to work hand in hand with their employees to insure the nation's successful participation in the war. Today, he said, was "not time to rock the boat."

"Consult labor," he advised. "Give it a fair and free voice and meet it half way—not as an adversary to be feared, but as a friend to be considered. Our general efficiency must not be interrupted by local misunderstandings."

Secretary Redfield declared no one must think that "an exhausted foe confronts us, or that we can afford to do less than our utmost in the fight that is on." He told the manufacturers they should not only help by subscribing to the war loans, but also should "assist their employees to become partners in the loans."

THREE ARMIES IN COUNTRY.

The speaker said there are three armies in the country today, each dependent on the other, the army upon the farm, the army in the factory and the army in the field.

"There should be no disturbance of labor standards now," he continued. "No suggestion of altered hours. Let these things rest until the nation itself calls. Keep the standards of living untouched and the standard of friendly leadership exalted.

"Today in every tinplate mill," he added, "the word should be 'Produce,' for the nation's good requires it. Today in every labor council the word should be, 'Produce,' for the nation calls its sons to be producers. Today in every textile mill, in every paper mill, in every machine shop, the thought should be from top to bottom, 'Produce in God's name.'"

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Among many resolutions passed by the manufacturers today was one offering the organization's services to the government, but declaring its members opposed to "unfair taxes." Another favored giving power to the Interstate Commerce Commission "to approve rate structures in the several regions and areas traversed by the railroads, which will yield revenues ample not only for excellent service and maintenance, but which also will be sufficient to attract capital for improvements and extensions."

Other resolutions adopted called on Congress to authorize the President to "suspend or modify labor laws wherever necessary, but only for the duration of the war," and recommended that efforts "be made to re-employ those employees who return from the war, and provisions be made for dependents without obligations to individual employers." Also the manufacturers were urged to purchase liberty-loan bonds and "where feasible to insist on their employees subscribing."

TO DEFENSE COUNCIL.

The manufacturers indorsed resolutions of the Council of National Defense which advised the issuance of an appeal that neither employers nor employees take advantage of the country's necessity to change existing standards.

Legislatures of the various States, as well as all other administrative agencies, were urged in the resolution rigorously to maintain existing safeguards as to the health and welfare of workers and permit "no departure from such present standards in State laws or State rulings affecting labor," without a declaration from the council that such departure is essential for the effective pursuit of the national defense.

TRIBUTE TO JOFFRE PLEASING TO FRENCH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, May 16.—"The French nation and the French government express their profound gratitude to the people and government of the United States for the admirable manner in which they received Minister of Justice Viviani and Marshal Joffre," said Jules Cambon, general secretary to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, today, in discussing recent events, and particularly the closing days of the visit of the French mission to America.

"While the warmth of this reception is in part due to the personality of our delegates," continued M. Cambon, "we recognize also that it is a tribute to the French nation for the efforts it has made during the past month in support of the cause of liberal Europe, which has now become the cause of the United States. Our people have received with joy and enthusiasm the vote of the House of Representatives upon the sending of volunteers to the French front."

HONOR JOSEPH H. CHOATE.

British Rulers Send Condolences to the Widow.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—The following message was received today from King George by Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, whose husband, the former Ambassador to England, will be buried tomorrow:

"The Queen and I are much distressed to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Choate, whom we knew so well and regarded with strong feeling of friendship and respect. My people will join with me in mourning the loss of your husband, who always proved himself to be a true friend to my country."

WILSON SENDS REGRETS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—President Wilson today sent the following letter to Mrs. J. H. Choate, whose husband, the former Ambassador to England, died in New York recently:

"My dear Mrs. Choate:

"May I not join in expressing what I believe to be the grief of the whole nation at the death of your honored and distinguished husband. The news of it came as a great shock to me, and I wish to convey to you my most heartfelt sympathy.

"Cordially and sincerely yours,

"WOODROW WILSON."

MAJOR-GENERALCY FOR ROOSEVELT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) May 16.—At the conclusion of a two hours' conference today with Gov. Whitman, Col. Theodore Roosevelt announced that he would accept the Governor's offer of a major-general's commission in the State service if the Federal army bill was passed without the provision to permit him to go to Europe with an expeditionary force.

Col. Roosevelt said:

"Gov. Whitman has, as is known, offered me the commission of major-general if the volunteer plan for sending troops abroad is not accepted in Washington. The commission would authorize me to raise one or more divisions in New York State, but the members would not necessarily come from this State."

MEXICANS AFRAID OF BEING DRAFTED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—To allay apprehension of Mexicans along the border that they might be drafted into the army, the government today issued a denial of any such intention.

"Reports coming from the Mexican border," said an official announcement, "indicate that a general belief exists among Mexican laborers that if they remain in the United States they will be subject to conscription. There is, of course, no intention on the part of the American government of drafting foreigners into military service, and it is hoped that the press and citizens generally will do all they can to make this clear to Mexicans and other foreigners residing in the United States."

CLOTHING MAKERS FOR PATRIOTISM.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Resolutions adopted at the seventeenth annual meeting of the National Association of Garment Manufacturers advised all makers of clothing to avoid fixing exorbitant prices and to allow the true spirit of patriotism to be the guide in all dealings.

A committee was appointed to inspect prison-made goods at the Missouri State penitentiary.

NO WEDDING BELLS.

British Naval "Hero" Impostor Loses American Girl.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

FLUSHING (L. I.) May 16.—Looking forward to the nuptials that were to mark the culmination of the ardent wooing of Miss Katherine Miller by George Ellis Stuart, who it is alleged posed as a lieutenant-commander in the British navy claiming to be here with the Balfour party, it was learned today that the week-old romance is not to wind up with wedding bells. There are several reasons. Miss Miller and her parents, convinced that her fiance was an imposter, have called off the ceremony. Stuart has weighed anchor and sailed for an unknown port, it is declared. The manager of the Hotel Martinique, where Stuart had been stopping, said he would like to know where the indoor naval hero had gone.

GUATEMALA GREETS ADMIRAL CAPERTON.

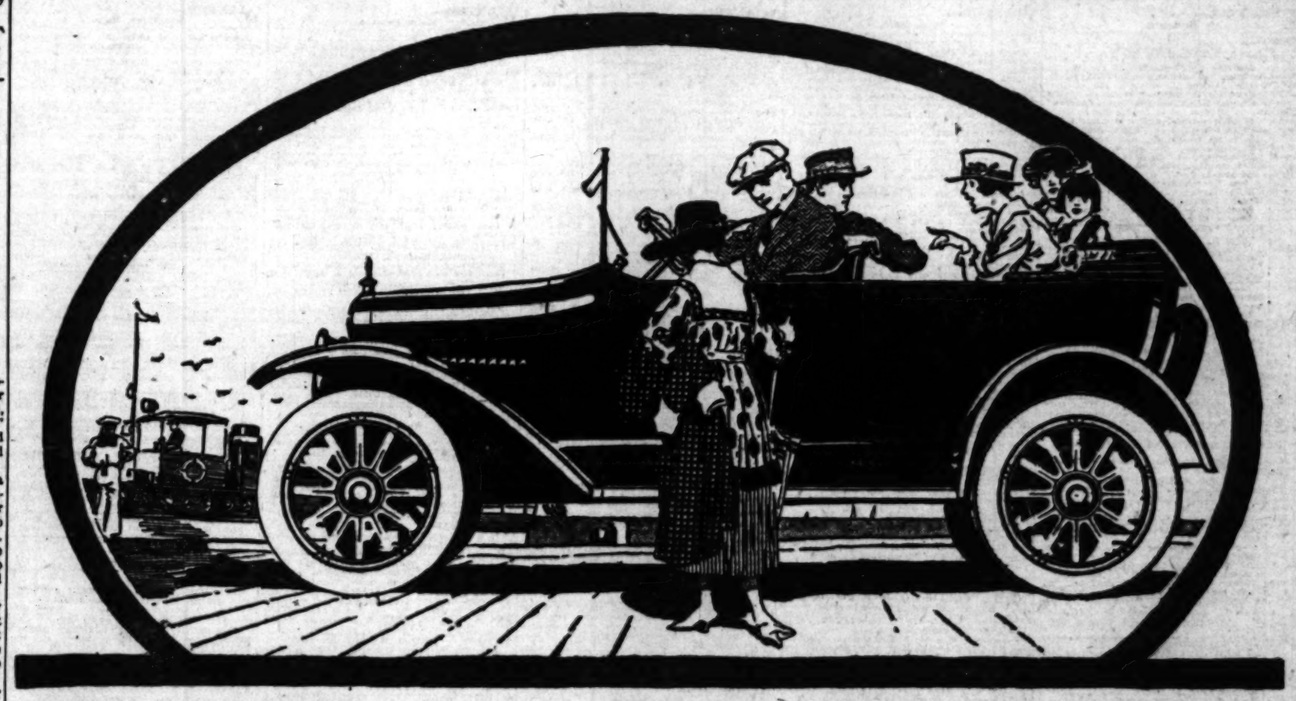
[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

GUATEMALA CITY (Guatemala) May 16.—Rear-Admiral William B. Caperton, commander-in-chief of the United States Pacific fleet, arrived here yesterday on board a government train and was received at the palace by President Cabrera, who was assisted in receiving by the Secretaries of State and War. William H. Leavell, the American Minister, made the presentation. The greeting extended the naval officer was extremely cordial.

HONOR FRENCH OFFICERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) May 16.—Six French and two United States Army officers who are instructing the Harvard officers' training corps have been made members of the faculty of the university, the board of overseers announced today. The resignations of R. M. Yerkes, assistant professor of psychology, and G. C. Moore, president of education, were accepted by the corporation. Prof. Yerkes will go to the University of Minnesota, and Prof. Moore will engage in educational work in California.



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We have driven our Maxwell 6,304 miles on about 21 miles per gallon of gasoline. One trip of 1,916 miles, five passengers, tent, bedding and provisions; crossed the Blewett Pass, Snoqualmie Pass, Mt. Rainier Park, Sunset Mountains and Blue Mountains. We believe that the Maxwell has no equal at anything near its price.—*J. M. Burley, La Grande, Oregon.*

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4,500 Miles on $58.20

"In seven months, I have driven 4,500 miles, getting 22 miles to the gallon, total expense $58.20 including gas, oil, tires, etc.—average monthly operating cost $8.31. My driving is over mountains or desert. In my opinion a Maxwell could be driven 5,000 miles without a single item of expense, except gasoline and oil, if given fair attention and operated on fairly good roads.—*Fred Williams, El Centro, California.*

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Drove Up Pike's Peak

My car has run 10,872 miles through mountainous country and I average 19 miles to the gallon. I drove up Pike's Peak Highway, over all the scenic drives of Southern Colorado, through Arizona and New Mexico. Never had any engine trouble whatever.—*Alfred J. Black, Avendale, Colorado.*

These extracts are but a very few of many thousands of letters from Maxwell owners. What the Maxwell has done for these motorists, it will do for you —because the Maxwell is built right—of only the best materials, on sound, sane, time-tried lines of construction.

Come into our Salesrooms and let us show you how and why.

Roadster, $650; Touring Car, $665; Cabriolet, $865; Town Car, $915; Sedan, $985; completely equipped, including electric starter and lights. All prices f. o. b. Detroit.

LORD MOTOR CAR CO

1101-9 South Hope Street, Los Angeles

Immediate Deliveries - - - Liberal Terms

Shasta Route

Via San Francisco and Portland—along the scenic Sacramento River, skirting Mt. Shasta—on to Seattle. Thence east as you like—over the Canadian Rockies; or into Yellowstone National Park, or Glacier National Park.

Try the Shasta Limited

A through sleeper daily from Los Angeles to Seattle. Leaving here at 5:00 p.m.; from Oakland on the Limited.

Three trains daily between San Francisco and Portland.

Back-East Excursions

Tickets on sale during summer months. Liberal stopover privileges to enable you to visit the many resorts in the Northwest and on the Road of a Thousand Wonders.

Go or come back via the Shasta Route.

Southern Pacific

City Office—212 West 7th St. (Between Spring and Broadway) Night and Day Information Bureau Phones: 60641—Main 8322 Main 8241. Station—Fifth and Central Ave. Restaurant and Rest Rooms

ANAHEIM BEER is the BEST BEER

If you were not satisfied with the last beer you bought try Anaheim this time. It's good. All dealers.

$5 FULL SET OF TEETH $5

Best set (none better).....$4.00
Gold Crowns, 22-k.....4.00
Bridge Work (Best).....4.00
Gold Fillings said lasty (Best)..1.00
Silver Fillings (Best).....50c
Extractions (Painless).....50c
All Work Guaranteed for 10 Years

ONE PRICE FOR ALL

The only private dentist in Los Angeles doing such high class dentistry at such wonderfully reduced prices. Not a new concern. A private, modern office, with experienced operators that have been in this office for the past 10 years. Every modern instrument and equipment; to insure your work to be the best.

References—Citizens Nat. Bank, Parmelee-Dohrmann Co. and thousands of patients in Southern Cal.

FREE EXAMINATION

IMPORTANT

My years of success in my present location have caused many advertising dental offices to imitate my advertisements.

Don't Be Deceived.

Be sure you are in the right office.

Dr. J. Arthur Foster
Formerly Yale Dentists
Phone F7544. 444 So. Broadway

EPILEPTIC ATTACKS HAVE BEEN STOPPED FOR OVER 50 YEARS

BY DR. KLINE'S EPILEPTIC REMEDY. It is a rational and remarkably successful treatment for Fits, Epilepsy (Falling Sickness) and kindred nervous derangements.

Get it or order it at any Drug Store—$1.00 and $2.00.

Send for our valuable book on Epilepsy. It is FREE

Dr. R. H. Kline Co., Department B, RED BANK, N. J.

Pure Blood

You can keep your blood in good condition—have a clear skin, and bright eyes, by taking

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Sore Eyes Granulated Eyelids. Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggist's 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Salve in Tubes 25c For Book of the Eye Free ask Druggists or Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

Classified Liners.

AGATE TYPE ONLY.

Accepted subject to the following rules and rates: Terms: Cash for inserting CHARGED items. Send or phone rates for inserting PREPAID classified in the Daily Times. Phone Main 8200, Home 10691, and ask for Liner Department. Rate for inserting PREPAID classified in the Sunday Times: 10c per word each insertion; in the Sunday Times Magazine, 15c per word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25c, applicable to each single or non-consecutive insertion; except under the following conditions: 20c daily, 25c Sunday; 25c daily, 30c Sunday per word monday minimum charge, 50c; 30c daily, 35c Sunday per word; minimum charge, 75c; consecutive insertion, 20c daily, 25c Sunday; 25c daily Meetings, "Personals," "Special Notices," "Rooms and Board," "Help," "Lost," "Lost and Found," "Lost and Cattle," "Diamonds and Jewelry," "Pets," "Poultry and Stock," "Miscellaneous," "Instructions," and "Baths and Massage."

An extra charge of 25 per cent. is made for the use of bold faced letters.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for less than one insertion must contain 5 lines. Additional space will be charged for on the basis of seven words to a line.

Display ads are accepted strictly by the word. For paragraphed or lined-up matter set in caps, estimate 10c per average words to a line. Not set in caps, estimate 8c per average words to a line, not set in caps, estimate 6c per average words to each line for all. No Sunday rate classified display ads accepted. Number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unalloted line.

On and after May 1st, 1917, Classified Advertising CHARGED TO ACCOUNTS will be accepted only from those of responsible standing. Ads of 17 words a line Sunday under classifications will be charged for at the prevailing rate of 25c per line, and eight (8) average words to each line for all. No Sunday rate classified display ads accepted. Number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unalloted line.

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind in omission in telephoned advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Errors in the fault of the advertiser which clearly lessen the value of an advertisement, will be rectified only by republication, without extra charge, on presentation of voucher within five days after insertion. No allowance will be made where the error does not materially affect the value or purpose of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising items not affected by "sayings or errors which may occur in other items in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for purposes of "identification," as no mistakes can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

Advertisements ordered for insertion in Sunday's Times, to be discontinued or changed after 3 o'clock p.m. Saturday.

Telephone orders to discontinue advertising in The Times are numbered in the order of their receipt, and the time the request was received. No order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof. In case of dispute no change in advertising will be made unless the original number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 100,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up The Times, Main 8200; Home 10691, any time day or night, and we take pleasure and take full attention.

The Times does not knowingly accept objectionable advertisements of any kind or character—medical, whisky, tarf, lottery, get-rich-quick, or similar. Keep every reasonable precaution to keep its advertising columns clean and wholesome.

This is a guaranty of protection to its readers, as well as to its legitimate advertising patrons.

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS. For the convenience of those who are paying by telephone for advertisements, printed in The Times, and communications to this newspaper, a "Pay Station" and "Information" booth is located, where letter boxes have been placed in various downtown buildings for the purpose between 7 o'clock.

Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions desired, and the amount it is to be, also that the announcement be printed.

Typical ads in Classified:

BETHUNE BLOCK, 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

BROADWAY BLDG., 317 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

BUMILLER BLDG., 430 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 312 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

DELTA BLDG., 420 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

GERMAIN BLDG., 257 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

GRANT BLDG., 258 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS.

H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Lobby near elevator. Fourth-street lobby.)

HIBERNIAN BANK BLDG., 204 W. SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)

I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. mail box.)

L. A. INVESTMENT BLDG., 708 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

LANKERSHIM BLDG., 136 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

LAUGHLIN BLDG., 319 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. mail box.)

MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 257 SPRING & MAIN. (On elevator shaft No. 4.)

MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY.

MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Second floor; no mail box.)

O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH & BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 610 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

C. WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., THIRD & MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

The locations of additional boxes will be published in their next issue.

Main Office, First and Broadway.
Mailing Dept., 219 S. Spring st.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS—
for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be received until 12 o'clock Saturday. "Last to Classify" if not received before 3 p.m. Saturday.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I WILL NOT be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Elsie S. Diemer, on and after May 16, 1917. AUGUST DIEMER.

WOMEN'S DISEASES ALL TROUBLES, SPECIALTY. 218 W. THIRD, between Broadway and Hill. Suite 206.

BETTER EARLY THAN LATE. Telephone your Sunday want ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday. MAIN 8200—10691.

LADY DOCTOR. AUGUSTA STONE, M.D., 534 Security Bldg., 5th and Spring. Main 6206.

LOS ANGELES CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, DR. CALE, 101 S. Hill. Main 8542, A5605.

FOR QUICK ACTION" DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—
AN HONEST PROPOSITION.
IF you are DOUBTFUL or SKEPTICAL as to what a genuine PSYCHIC-MEDIUM can do, go today. Bring this statement and MR. F. L. KEAN, M.P. (retained.) will give you a thorough test of his PSYCHIC knowledge absolutely free of charge. KEAN will offer suggestions and give help in all who are in trouble and suspense concerning their personal affairs of life. KEAN will reveal to you your weak points, strong characteristics, future possibilities, what you are best fitted for in life, etc. No matter how complicated your condition may be KEAN can and will aid you. Know the truth. Know in time what to do, and how to do it. KEAN points the way. KEAN'S fees for readings are within the reach of all. KEAN can only be consulted at his residence, 2403 South Grand ave., Los Angeles. Hours, 10 ot 6 daily and Sunday. No calls received before or after hours.

PERSONAL—
Mrs. Margaret Oniel of New York City, ordained psychic and healer. One visit will convince you that she can help you. 327 CLARES DON HOTEL, N.E. corner Fifth and Hill, Room 20. Hours 10 to 4.

PERSONAL—PROF. CAIRO, EGYPTIAN PALMIST, Mr. flashy (three centuries back) wore palmists. Reliable, thorough, conscientious. 636 GLADYS AVE. Broadway 4129. $1 up.

PERSONAL—MME. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER and palmist; 32 years in Los Angeles; largest practice; highest grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—GOING TO NEW YORK IN 7-PASSENGER auto; have room for 4 more; will visit all interesting places on the way. Address N, box 177, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—WANTED—BY LADY, TO JOIN auto party going north, share expenses. Phone COl. 2374, Pasadena.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

SPECIAL SALE—
30,000 NURSERY STOCK.
Valencia, lemon, navel, grapefruit trees, all 2 years old, varnished. JOHN F. NAKATA, 417 S. 3rd st., Alhambra, Cal.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

NOTICE—
CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Classified "Want ads," etc., will be accepted until 12 m. Saturday.

LETTERS TYPEWRITTEN 10 CENTS PAGE. Manuscripts typed, multigraphing, addressing. PACIFIC STENOGRAPHERS, 401 Douglas Bldg., 3rd and Spring.

LAST MINUTE SERVICE
is not always satisfactory. Telephone your Sunday want ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday. MAIN 8200—10691.

GLASSES ——85c—— READING
Sewing or distance. Sun glasses, 25c. DR. T. E. PHILPOTT, 442 S. Spring st.

BUSINESS LETTERS TYPEWRITTEN, 10 CENTS page. PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, 705 FERGUSON BUILDING, Third and Hill.

CARPETS RENOVATED AT HALF PRICE WERK guaranteed to 2446 South Main st. We satisfy or no charge. Phone 25268. W. T. MFG. CO.

CALIFORNIA CESSPOOL CLEANING CO., 404 N. Commonwealth ave. 590107, Wilshire 1512. Also pump flooded basements.

JAPANESE CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. Furnish help of all kinds. MAIN 2924, F2025.

BUSINESS MAIL ADDRESS $1 PER MONTH. 700 FERGUSON BLDG., Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—HUMMEL BROTHERS,
EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
116-118 E. second st.

Main 8484. Home 10708.
Iron molder, boss here $5
3 rough carpenters, near city $3.50
2 blacksmiths, north, fare allowed $3
Plumber, long job, near city $4.50
Auto trimmer and upholsterer $5
Pump repairman, experienced $3.50
Blacksmith, custom shop, near city $3.50
Marble setter, valley $2.75
Machinist, lathe and bench, city $4
2 machine miners, boss here $4.50
Tie raiser hands and tamper, $40 to $45 and 10 miliers, 15 to 30 cows, $40 to $55, board
Milk house man, near city ..... $150, board
Hay handler, valley ..... $1.50 to $2.75, board

WANTED—MACHINIST, THOROUGHLY COMPETENT for making parts and assembling automatic machinery; pay $3 1-3 cents per hour for 60 days, after which time pay $4 per hour; in accordance to ability to earn more. If you are not steady shop in a hurry this job will be short. If you have the qualifications and are willing to use them in the interest of the factor it pays good, well paid, permanent position is waiting for you. Write, stating age, experience, etc. Address P, box 249, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GENERAL OFFICE MAN UNDER 30, corporation experience, city, $90; bookkeeper under 25, city, $100; automobile parts salesmen clerk, Ariz., mine, $125; bank ledger clerk, $90; railroad stenographer, city, $85; railroad freight clerk, city, $80; railroad stenographers, country, $85; stenographer, large corporation, $100; boys, $50; $60; $75.
General merchandise clerk, country, $60, board and room.
CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE,
Brockman Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED—
Chief clerk, $150.
Also pay roll clerk, $125.

Mining company Ariz., employer here. Call early. Experienced mining preferred. Speak Spanish.
BUSINESS MEN'S CLEARING HOUSE, (Agency.)
928 Security Bldg., 5th and Spring.

WANTED—RANCH HANDS FOR GENERAL WORK on Delta ranch, 1 mile south of Colton; pay on Saturday night; steady employment and none but reliable and competent men considered.
A. R. WALBERG, Supt.
Daily's Ranch, Colton.

Or C. H. Evans, 530 Title Ins. Bldg., Los Angeles.

WANTED—A HIGH-CLASS, THOROUGHLY COMpetent salesman, who understands the science and art of house-to-house salesmanship; one desiring lucrative, permanent employment; salary commensurate with ability to produce. Call at once, 2nd floor, NEW TIMES BLDG., before 9:30 a.m., or after 4 p.m.

WANTED—MEN, WE TEACH YOU TO DRIVE automobiles and care for engines, complete course, including overhauling, ignition work, etc.; only $25; $5 down, $5 monthly. We assist graduates to positions. Night classes every evening. LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL, 1027 S. Main st. Phone 10-1027.

WANTED — A STEADY SOBER, INDUSTRIOUS young man to work around private place, take care of cow, mow lawns, garden and trees; give references, experience and full details when first letter; 26, 1917. AUGUST DIEMER.

WANTED—PANTRY MAN, $25, B. AND B.; waiter for your Sunday trade, boy, Yosemite Valley. Fry cook, $60 and fd. Hot springs; bus boy, country hotel; house mechanic, $60 and fd.; kitchen help. Pot washers, dishwashers, kitchen helpers, etc. Housemaid. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT OF-FICE, 317 S. Broadway.

WANTED—MEN, WHY WORK FOR LOW WAGES? Learn automobile repairing, driving machine, shop practice, only short time required. Reduced rates, special course in advanced ignition. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING (established 1905.) Figueroa at 8th. (See Inst. Ad.)

WANTED—GOOD BOY, ABOUT 15 YEARS OF age, to work in shipping department of this paper, after school and Saturdays. Boy possessing some salesmanship ability preferred. Chance to make good. Apply after leaving school. Address P, box 167, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CARPENTERS, CEMENT WORKERS, laborers, to sell lots at 50 cents week upwards and take contracts for building homes in beautiful South Pasadena and Klondike Park, Los Angeles. WILSTON & FOSTER. Hours 8 to 9 a.m., at Klondike Park, on Glendale car line.

WANTED—BURROUGHS POSTING MACHINE OPerator for night work. Call at 12 p.m. Large corporation. Salary $65; advancement. Call early. REFERENCE ASSOCIATION, Central Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED — FEW BRIGHT BOYS, OVER 17, TO fit for the civil service positions, paying $15 to $20 per week; excellent opportunity for boys living parent with you. See immediately. Machine floor New Times Bldg., before 9:30 a.m., or after 4 p.m.

WANTED—NEW, LIVE, UP-TO-DATE HOUSE TO house selling proposition to good, live, neat men; a live seller; only one to each person. Inside ROOM 414, 257 S. Broadway, 8 to 12 only.

WANTED — HEALTHY, INDUSTRIOUS YOUNG man of good habits, who understands farm and garden work; permanent position; wages $25 to $35 per month; state age, weight, height, experience, etc. Address R, box 2407, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BUTLER IN PRIVATE family, one who has local reference, $50 to $60. E. B.; gardener for clubhouse, city, $40. MARTIN & HAW, 1214 S. Broadway.

WANTED—WINDOW TRIMMER AND GENTS' furnishings salesman, single. Arizona, good position, $100-$125. Call 9 a.m. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED — YOUNG MULTIGRAPH OPERATOR for permanent position with large corporation, salary $25. REFERENCE ASSOCIATION, Central Bldg. (agency.)

WANTED—COMPETENT BOOK-KEEPER AND assistant, for retail furniture store; state salary expected, permanent, for resort, north. Address G, box 418, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED DRIVER TO TAKE care of wholesale bottle trade; state salary position. CAPITOL DYE WORKS, Santa Monica. Bunker 883-R. Home 1344.

WANTED—MAN BETWEEN 18 AND 24 YEARS for hard night work; $12 per week to start; good trade; give weight, height and age. Address P, box 250, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN WITH SOME EXPERIENCE IN carpet department. See MANAGER, Carpet Department, Cultured Pearl, 509 S. Main st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO RUN HAY RAKE ON alfalfa ranch, $20 per month and board. Room 606, GROSSE BLDG.

WANTED—BUSHELMAN, MAT GRENNAN, Sam's tailor, 530 So. Spring.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED STEAM SHOVEL engineer. Apply at Room 606, F. K. Bldg.

WANTED—CARPENTERS, FOR CEMENT WORK; also teamsters, to sell lots at 50 cents week upwards and take contracts for building homes in beautiful South Pasadena and Klondike Park, Los Angeles. WILSTON & FOSTER. Hours 8 to 9 a.m., at Klondike Park, on Glendale car line.

WANTED—RELIABLE ACTIVE MAN OPERATE safety razor machine. Light careful duties, small compensation. Active woman considered; inclined considered. 409 EQUITABLE BLDG. First and spring sts.

WANTED—BOY TO GO ERRANDS AND MAKE himself generally useful in ladies' neckwear factory. Good chance for advancement. Apply BENJAMIN KAPLAN & CO., 757 South Los Angeles st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO OPERATES FORD service car and work on storage, to start at good wages; $10 per week to start. Call before 9:30 a.m. Thursday, KAY & BURBANK, 1127 S. Hope st., and Figueroa.

WANTED—CLEAN LIVE YOUNG FELLOW FOR hiking trip on coast. Must be violin player and musical. Outdoor life. Address P, box 97, city position. Call or write today. SMITH, 92 S. Raymond, Pasadena.

WANTED — BRIGHT BOY WITH HIGH SCHOOL education for messenger and office work; good opportunity to advance for capable, live boy over 17 years old; references required. Call at BAKER IRON WORKS, 1000 S. Broadway.

WANTED—COMMISSARY CLERKS IN R.R. REpair gangs in Arizona and New Mexico; men not subject to conscription; good steady position. Address BOX G12, Station C, City.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MARRIED MAN, 25 to 45, for delicatessen department at Jevne's, for MR. QUIEY at 257 S. Spring st. Call between Friday morning between 9 and 11.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHERS, UNDER 28, FOR Arizona, position with bank, railroad and mines, $100-$125. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED—SHOE UPPER STITCHER AND SEWing machine operators. Steady work. Good pay. BUCKINGHAM & HECHT, 2813 and Valencia sts., San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED—WINDOW TRIMMER, SPEAK SPANish (American only) for Arizona store, employer here, salary $150. REFERENCE ASSOCIATION, Central Bldg. (agency.)

WANTED—AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 18, assistant office work. Good chance for advancement. CITY WATER MANUFACTURING CO., 228 S. Los Angeles.

WANTED—TWO LIVE WIRES TO SELL LIFE size portraits of President Wilson to business houses. Exclusive territory. The best and quickest money in the city. Room 587 WILCOX BLDG.

WANTED—SEVERAL CLERKS, BRIGHT, OVER 18, for Civil Service office position; salary about $1000 per year starting. See at once MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. See Inst. adv.

WANTED—MEN AND SALESMEN FOR A 5 months' reconstruction job, $4 for 9 hours. Wire our expense before coming. HOLTON POWER CO., El Centro, Cal.

WANTED—GENERAL GARDENER WITH local references, $75 per month. Permanent; also experienced electric motor tester, 645 S. Hill. 8 to 9 a.m.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CONSTRUCTION man to lay out and direct building of small concrete foundation. 1266 cowles' work. 645 S. HILL ST., Room 8, at 9 a.m.

WANTED—A-1 SHEET METAL WORKER, EXPErienced on fenders and bodies. If not experienced don't apply. See WARREN MANUFACTURING CO., 109 East 12th.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CUTTER, ALSO ASsistant on silk waists, one who has had waist experience preferred. JOSEPH BUKIN, Fourth floor, 724 So. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED AUTOMOBILE TRUCK SALESMAN. MUST BE HIGH GRADE MEN; NONE OTHERS NEED APPLY. SMITH-FORM-A-TRUCK CO., PICO AND HILL.

WANTED — CZSE POOL DIGGERS, CALL ready for work today at 1201 WEST MANCHESTER AVE. Take Vermont Heights car.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED UPHOLSTERERS. ALSO TWO BRUSH HANDS FOR FINISHING FURNITURE. APPLY 1200 E. 8TH ST.

WANTED—BOY, ABOUT 20 YEARS OLD, WITH bicycle to work in city. Must know city. ARMSTEIN, 729 W. Sixth st.

WANTED—A GOOD SOLICITOR AND DRIVER on Ford delivery car, steady job. MISSION DYE HOUSE, 2910 Pico. Vermont car.

WANTED—DELIVERY BOY WANTED WITH wheel. Wages $6. Apply SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ELECTRIC CO., 1625 So. Main st.

WANTED—GORDON PRESS FEEDERS AT ONCE. Apply 132-134 SOUTH LOS ANGELES ST. Ask for printing department.

WANTED—RELIABLE DRY CLEANING SOLICItor. LE BLANCHE & CO., 6515 Hollywood Blvd.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SHOE CLERK, PREfer single man; state experience, nationality, etc. CROWN SHOE STORE, El Centro, Cal.

WANTED—TWO MACHINIST HELPERS. APply VERNON MFG. CO., 52nd and Santa Fe ave.

WANTED — GOOD PROPOSITION FOR MAN wishing to quickly produce $15 initial required; samples no matter. Call 714 SAN JULIAN ST.

WANTED—LEARN ACTUAL AUTO REPAIRING. Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. Phone 18022. See Inst. Adv.

WANTED—PLATEN PRESS FEEDER, ONE WHO has experience at making ready. HARRINGTON, Printer, 1523 S. Spring st.

WANTED—SALESMEN TO CALL ON GROCERY and butcher trade, city and country. 211 W. NINTH.

WANTED—A GOOD ALL-AROUND SWEDE FOR gardening and general chores. Telephone HOME T1138 for information.

WANTED—GOOD BOY WITH WHEEL. APPLY 9 a.m. CLARKE, Fifth and Broadway.

WANTED—JANITOR FOR APARTMENT HOUSE work, must be experienced. Apply at 402 HARTFORD AVE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CLOTHING MAN AND assistant hat man. Apply FOREMAN & CLARK, 5th and Broadway, between 8 and 10 a.m.

WANTED—MAN WITH LIGHT MACHINE FOR an established retail route. Apply after 3 p.m. to MR. HEISLER, 5817 Pasadena ave.

WANTED—2 THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED OUTside salesmen. COLUMBIA OUTFITTING CO., 437 W. 7th st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN THOROUGHLY CAPable of taking charge of Ford repair shop, 1585 W. WASHINGTON ST.

WANTED — A GOOD ALL AROUND MIDDLE aged French for cooking and general chores. Telephone HOME T1138 for information.

WANTED—MANAGER FOR PRODUCE AND FISH market. Security required. Apply 827 W. SIXTH ST., between 8 and 11 a.m. Thursday.

WANTED—NIGHT MAN AT MORGAN HOTEL, 9th and Hope sts.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COAT MAKER. B. Pinotarin.

WANTED—A BOY TO LEARN FURNITURE UPholstering; paid while learning. 925 W. 7TH.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN TO wash dishes. Apply at 304 W. PICO.

WANTED—AN ELECTRIC ELEVATOR OPERAtor. Apply head bell man. BOSLYN HOTEL.

WANTED—UPHOLSTERERS, COME WITH TOOLS prepared to work. 218 E. SIXTH ST.

WANTED—PHOTOGRAPHER FOR COUNTRY work. 1330 S. HARVARD BLVD. West 1244.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—POSITIONS OPEN NOW.
Wanted—Chief clerk, mining company, Arizona, married, speak Spanish, employer here, apply early; $150.
Time distribution clerk, single, mining company, Arizona, employer here; some typing; $125.
Mechanical draughtsman, designing and machinery layout, steady position, $130; city.
Master mechanic, Arizona, single preferred, $165.
Bookkeeper, oil company, north, $125.
Rapid typist and clerk, good personality, $75.
Night auditor, hotel, no hotel experience, good hours, $75. Adv.
Handyman, run lathe and pipe machine $2.50 day
Header board man ..... $3.50 day
Hamp blacksmith ..... $3.50 day
Cabinet maker, machine ..... $3.50 day
Auto mechanic, city ..... 60c hour
Caterpillar engineer, ranch ..... $2.50 day, fd.
Macsinist for Arizona
Boiler maker for Arizona
Machinist, Imperial Valley, ... $5.00 day
3 carpenters, farm work ...$4.05 to $4.50 day
Blacksmith, city ..... $4.50 day
Oklahoma, city ..... $12 week, room
4 young men with some experience on leather goods ..... $10.00 week
Warehouse man, country ..... $3.00 day
2 machine miners ..... $4.50 day
Brother's helper ..... $40-$50 mo. fd.
Man and wife, cook, waitress ...$115 mo., fd.
Man and wife for sanitarium, wife to cook, ... $70 mo., fd.
Married rancher, near city ..... $50 mo., house
Man and wife, ranch, wife for ..... $60-65 mo., house
Man and wife, chicken ranch ...$50 mo., house
Married miller, Bakersfield ..... $70 mo., house
150 ranchhands, teamsters, milkers, lay hands.
10 laborers, factory work ..... $2.50 day
5 laborers, shovel rock ..... $3.00 day
And many others.
We Lead—Others Follow.
MURRAY & READY.

WANTED—CHIEF CLERK, MINING, ARIZ., $150. Pay roll clerk, smelter co., Ariz., $125.
Bank book-keeper (four) $75 up.
Bk-kpr., familiar Burroughs posting ma., $95.
Biller, long hand, start $90.
All legal stenographers, $75, adv.
Hotel night clerk, (first-class only) $75-$100.
Stenographer and asst. bk-kpr., $100.
Cashier, hotel, single, start $60.
Clerical age 18, start, $40.
Mother's helper $30-$40.
BUSINESS MEN'S CLEARING HOUSE, (Agency.)
928 Security Bldg., 5th and Spring.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BOOK-KEEPER, PUBlic utilities experience, $100; also bookkeeper, experienced young stenographer, $75, excellent opportunity; live wire young salesman, $100; director of advertising, $175; gentlemanly office boy, large corporation, about 16; fine chance. Other good openings for grown-ups and juniors. F. S. BEAVIS, Agency for "EVERYTHING HUMAN FOR THE OFFICE," Investment Bldg.

WANTED — HOUSE CLEANER, $35; DRIVER, hotel, $60 and board; shipping clerk, $90; boy to $12; young man, grocery, $12; colored laundryman, $50; janitor, $45, room; houseman, hotel; cook, $60; second, $60; Sunby, $40; all kinds hotel, restaurant help. CHICAGO AGENCY, 217½ S. Spring.

WANTED — MALE STENOGRAPHERS, RADIO operators, lawyers, accountants and auto mechanics and machinists are in demand; you can qualify and be placed in a few weeks; positions guaranteed; with thoroughness at the Y.M.C.A. schools. Catalogues free, 715 S. HOPE ST. Home 10274. Main 1219. See Inst. adv.

WANTED—ORE SETTLEMENT CLERK AND bookkeeper under thirty-five for Arizona mine; $150-$175. Immediate. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED—MANAGER FOR BRANCH HOUSE. Keen man, experienced in automobile or accessory lines, for lucrative position; salary commensurate. EXPERIENCE ASSOCIATION, Central Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED—RELIABLE ACTIVE MAN OPERATE safety razor machine. Light careful duties, small compensation. Active woman considered; inclined considered. 409 EQUITABLE BLDG. First and spring sts.

WANTED—BOY TO GO ERRANDS AND MAKE himself generally useful in ladies' neckwear factory. Good chance for advancement. Apply BENJAMIN KAPLAN & CO., 757 South Los Angeles st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO OPERATES FORD service car and work on storage, to start at good wages; $10 per week to start. Call before 9:30 a.m. Thursday, KAY & BURBANK, 1127 S. Hope st., and Figueroa.

WANTED—CLEAN LIVE YOUNG FELLOW FOR hiking trip on coast. Must be violin player and musical. Outdoor life. Address P, box 97, city position. Call or write today. SMITH, 92 S. Raymond, Pasadena.

WANTED — BRIGHT BOY WITH HIGH SCHOOL education for messenger and office work; good opportunity to advance for capable, live boy over 17 years old; references required. Call at BAKER IRON WORKS, 1000 S. Broadway.

WANTED—COMMISSARY CLERKS IN R.R. REpair gangs in Arizona and New Mexico; men not subject to conscription; good steady position. Address BOX G12, Station C, City.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MARRIED MAN, 25 to 45, for delicatessen department at Jevne's, for MR. QUIEY at 257 S. Spring st. Call between Friday morning between 9 and 11.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHERS, UNDER 28, FOR Arizona, position with bank, railroad and mines, $100-$125. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED—SHOE UPPER STITCHER AND SEWing machine operators. Steady work. Good pay. BUCKINGHAM & HECHT, 2813 and Valencia sts., San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED—WINDOW TRIMMER, SPEAK SPANish (American only) for Arizona store, employer here, salary $150. REFERENCE ASSOCIATION, Central Bldg. (agency.)

WANTED—AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 18, assistant office work. Good chance for advancement. CITY WATER MANUFACTURING CO., 228 S. Los Angeles.

WANTED—TWO LIVE WIRES TO SELL LIFE size portraits of President Wilson to business houses. Exclusive territory. The best and quickest money in the city. Room 587 WILCOX BLDG.

WANTED—SEVERAL CLERKS, BRIGHT, OVER 18, for Civil Service office position; salary about $1000 per year starting. See at once MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. See Inst. adv.

WANTED—MEN AND SALESMEN FOR A 5 months' reconstruction job, $4 for 9 hours. Wire our expense before coming. HOLTON POWER CO., El Centro, Cal.

WANTED—GENERAL GARDENER WITH local references, $75 per month. Permanent; also experienced electric motor tester. 645 S. HILL ST., Room 8, at 9 a.m.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CONSTRUCTION man to lay out and direct building of small concrete foundation. 1266 cowles' work. 645 S. HILL ST., Room 8, at 9 a.m.

WANTED—A-1 SHEET METAL WORKER, EXPErienced on fenders and bodies. If not experienced don't apply. See WARREN MANUFACTURING CO., 109 East 12th.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CUTTER, ALSO ASsistant on silk waists, one who has had waist experience preferred. JOSEPH BUKIN, Fourth floor, 724 So. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED AUTOMOBILE TRUCK SALESMAN. MUST BE HIGH GRADE MEN; NONE OTHERS NEED APPLY. SMITH-FORM-A-TRUCK CO., PICO AND HILL.

WANTED — CZSE POOL DIGGERS, CALL ready for work today at 1201 WEST MANCHESTER AVE. Take Vermont Heights car.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED UPHOLSTERERS. ALSO TWO BRUSH HANDS FOR FINISHING FURNITURE. APPLY 1200 E. 8TH ST.

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 20 YEARS OLD WITH bicycle to work in city. Must know city. ARMSTEIN, 729 W. Sixth st.

WANTED—A GOOD SOLICITOR AND DRIVER on Ford delivery car, steady job. MISSION DYE HOUSE, 2910 Pico. Vermont car.

WANTED—DELIVERY BOY WANTED WITH wheel. Wages $6. Apply SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ELECTRIC CO., 1625 So. Main st.

WANTED—GORDON PRESS FEEDERS AT ONCE. Apply 132-134 SOUTH LOS ANGELES ST. Ask for printing department.

WANTED—RELIABLE DRY CLEANING SOLICItor. LE BLANCHE & CO., 6515 Hollywood Blvd.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SHOE CLERK, PREfer single man; state experience, nationality, etc. CROWN SHOE STORE, El Centro, Cal.

WANTED—TWO MACHINIST HELPERS. APply VERNON MFG. CO., 52nd and Santa Fe ave.

WANTED — GOOD PROPOSITION FOR MAN wishing to quickly produce $15 initial required; samples no matter. Call 714 SAN JULIAN ST.

WANTED—LEARN ACTUAL AUTO REPAIRING. Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. Phone 18022. See Inst. Adv.

WANTED—PLATEN PRESS FEEDER, ONE WHO has experience at making ready. HARRINGTON, Printer, 1523 S. Spring st.

WANTED—SALESMEN TO CALL ON GROCERY and butcher trade, city and country. 211 W. NINTH.

WANTED—A GOOD ALL-AROUND SWEDE FOR gardening and general chores. Telephone HOME T1138 for information.

WANTED—GOOD BOY WITH WHEEL. APPLY 9 a.m. CLARKE, Fifth and Broadway.

WANTED—JANITOR FOR APARTMENT HOUSE work, must be experienced. Apply at 402 HARTFORD AVE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CLOTHING MAN AND assistant hat man. Apply FOREMAN & CLARK, 5th and Broadway, between 8 and 10 a.m.

WANTED—MAN WITH LIGHT MACHINE FOR an established retail route. Apply after 3 p.m. to MR. HEISLER, 5817 Pasadena ave.

WANTED—2 THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED OUTside salesmen. COLUMBIA OUTFITTING CO., 437 W. 7th st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN THOROUGHLY CAPable of taking charge of Ford repair shop, 1585 W. WASHINGTON ST.

WANTED — A GOOD ALL AROUND MIDDLE aged French for cooking and general chores. Telephone HOME T1138 for information.

WANTED—MANAGER FOR PRODUCE AND FISH market. Security required. Apply 827 W. SIXTH ST., between 8 and 11 a.m. Thursday.

WANTED—NIGHT MAN AT MORGAN HOTEL, 9th and Hope sts.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COAT MAKER. B. Pinotarin.

WANTED—A BOY TO LEARN FURNITURE UPholstering; paid while learning. 925 W. 7TH.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN TO wash dishes. Apply at 304 W. PICO.

WANTED—AN ELECTRIC ELEVATOR OPERAtor. Apply head bell man. BOSLYN HOTEL.

WANTED—UPHOLSTERERS, COME WITH TOOLS prepared to work. 218 E. SIXTH ST.

WANTED—PHOTOGRAPHER FOR COUNTRY work. 1330 S. HARVARD BLVD. West 1244.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

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NOTE—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

WANTED—MURRAY & READY,
Leading Employment and Labor Agents,
110 E. second st.

Stenographer, R. R. experience preferred. Commercial, $65-$75.
Shipping clerk, fam. linen goods. Salary open.
Two grocery order clerks, north, $70-$80. Adv.
Clerk familiar R. R. bills, $110.
Office boy, 16-18, corporation, $20.
Other positions coming in every day. No charge unless you accept a position offered.
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WANTED—REAL ESTATE.

WANTED—BUNGALOW OF 6 OR 7 ROOMS, close to car; state lowest cash price and full particulars; no agents. Address Owner, box 10, Times office.

WANTED—BUNGALOW OR 6 OR 7 ROOMS, close in or northwest location; will pay $3000 cash; state lowest price and full particulars. Address Owner, box 10, Times office.

WANTED—RESIDENCE TO $2,500; WILL TRADE 5 lots in Hollywood tract, close to car; 2 lots in Boyle Heights tract, close to car; 1 lot in Venice tract, close to car; will take $1500 cash for the 10 lots; price $2,000. Address owner, box 10, Times office.

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FOR SALE—
Country Property.

Pomona.

FOR SALE—
ABSOLUTELY BEST INVESTMENT in the county, 22 acres in city of Pomona, surrounded by long rows below. 15 minutes' walk from P. O. Stock from car; on main boulevard. Some good buildings; city and irrigating water. Now rented and will sell on strict term. $700 per acre. OWNER, P. O. Box 1083, Los Angeles.

MOUNTAIN-CANYON PROPERTY

FOR SALE—ATTRACTIVE LITTLE MOUNTAIN bungalow among stately Ite oaks in Sierra Madre; 3 bedrooms, all 2-story suites, rent $130 month, 4 years' lease. Well furnished, well fitted. Price $4,750. Now, grab your hat and get this. KEYSTONE CO., 1 Central Bldg., South Bldg.

TO LET—MAIN ST. at 15TH. 16 ROOMS. Arranged for subletting. Walking distance. Will lease at $50.
WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO.,
10742. 408 S. Hill St. Main 8040.
Wright & Callender Bldg.

FOR LEASE—SALE—OR EXCHANGE—48-ROOM rooming house in industrial section, near P. Depot. Want cash or exchange for clear property in Southern California. See owner, 624 East Fifth.

FOR SALE—FINE PAYING 64-ROOM HOTEL IN best manufacturing city in California, modern brick, 8 years' lease, only $3 rent. $45,000, half cash. This is much less than cost. Owner here. Address R. box 170, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR LEASE—UNFURNISHED, 50-ROOM MODern hotel in the heart of city; 5 to 10 months' rent. See us at once. RYDER REALTY, 418 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

TO LET—251 S. GRAND AVE., 70 ROOMS, JUST been remodeled and renewed, in fine condition. Rent $25 per month, water paid. E. C. HYANS, 250 Laughlin Bldg. Main 8080.

YOU CAN'T BEAT THIS, 23 ROOMS, GOOD furniture; rent $60, clearing $85 month; a sure bargain, $400 gives you possession. Don't delay. SULLIVAN, 105 W. 6th St., Room 406.

WANTED — AVOID VEXATIOUS DELAYS BY telephoning your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday. MAIN 8260, 10891.

FOR SALE—7-ROOM FLAT, CENTRALLY LOcated; bargain; no dealers or brokers. 702 W. 17th st. Main 5218.

FOR SALE—11 ROOMS, FURNISHED FOR LIGHT housekeeping, for $275; an leaving city, rent reasonable; close in. 1019 W. 10TH ST.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—12-ROOM LODIng-house, new floors, cheap rent. Landlady ill. Must sell. 917½ S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—ROOMING HOUSE, NAP; 16 ROOMS, rent $25. 827 OLIVE ST.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE 16 ROOMS, BARGAIN. Rooming house, 927 SOUTH GRAND AVE.

APARTMENT-HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME! White pressed brick building, 30 rooms, divided into 12 apartments; Holmes disappearing bed; automatic hot water heater; furniture and carpets all new; rent $100; price $4,000; a snap if taken at once. Lease at a rental of $5 per room per month. Will consider trade for equity in acre or car line. Must be good location. Address R. box 255, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE — $2250, CLEAR, 15 ACRES, fine land, near Jacinto. Want new bungalow from owner. Address owner, A2308, W. N. HOLWAY, Haas Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Furnished Flats.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—CITY INCOME AND CLEAR orange orchard for good western or Middle West stock to $100,000. F. D. LIST, 1021 Central Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—7-ROOM BUNGALOW AND garage, hardwood floors throughout, close to Glendale. Improved street. Two lots 50x186 each. Value $4,500; mortgage $1800, 5 per cent. 2 years to run. Will trade for city lot; Balboa Beach or sell on easy terms. Might assume on improved Bolton.
1004 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—BUNGALOW FOR RANCH.
Modern 5-room bungalow, near 40th and Main. Price $6000, clear. Want small ranch near Los Angeles or San Gabriel. Owner, Edward Lankerstein; clear for clear; might assume $1000. JOHN M. CATES, 1320 G. MacLAUGHLIN CO., Pasadena. Phone Fair Oaks 4040.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1000 IN CASH AND CLOSEin property on 2 lots, $5000. Good 6-room cottage and other improvements. Want $7000 home, southwest or Pasadena. WALTER FRANKLIN, 224 Bradbury Bldg. P4026.

FOR EXCHANGE — 8-ROOM MODERN, LARGE lot, for chicken ranch improved up to $3000, or acreage, or what? Also 1 an owner of other property to trade. AGNES M. MURPHY, 319 W. 42nd st.

FOR EXCHANGE—NORTH WILSHIRE MODERN bungalow, $5500. Want Pasadena or Glendale. Clear lots for bungalow to $4000. TAYLOR, 337 S. Hill. 01273. Main 6837.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL HOME close to foothills Hollywood; $11,000. Mortgage $10,000. Want industrial site along railroad in or close to city. PHONE 577197.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—BEAUTIFUL TENroom house, Hollywood way, $15,000; will consider 6-room cottage. Owner, O, box 334, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED home in Hollywood, two blocks from hotel, $22,000. Want Los Angeles building section to $9000. 1611 ORANGE DRIVE, 57450.

FOR EXCHANGE—3 RENTED BUNGALOWS. Price $12,000. Want Grant Bldg. Pasadena property. Owner, 404 GRANT BLDG. P2097.

FOR EXCHANGE — LOS ANGELES PROPERTY for Fresno vineyard. R. G. KILLEBREW, 1812 San Pedro st. No agents. 1812 San Pedro st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2000 CASH AND A $6000 lot on West Jefferson st. with frontage on two streets and depth of nearly 200 feet. Fit for any kind of business, garage, store or flats. Not a cent against it. Owner, 1005 W. Adams st.

FOR EXCHANGE—160-ACRE RANCH, NEAR Antelope; price $6000, clear. Want house or lot here, will assume some. Address owner, G, box 255, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES LAND, RAISE anything, close to railroad, unimproved; want bungalow. Phone owner, MAIN 6527, 132 N. Burlington.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES ALFALFA RANCH, corn, horses, hogs. Price $15,000. Owner must clo. BUCKLE, 404 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
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IMPROVED RANCH.

INCOME $200 PER MONTH.

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CHINO RANCH.

Location: About 4½ miles south of Ontario, on the Chino Ranch, just off Euclid avenue, a paved street.

Twenty acres choice soft, sandy loam soil. First class alfalfa, walnut bean and truck land. All under cultivation.

Fine well and independent pumping plant, 25 inches of water. Cement pipe lines, with patent turnouts.

Small four-room house, barn and outbuildings. Ranch fully equipped; three horses, all farm tools; also 15 fine dairy cows, income from dairy alone (1916) over $2500.

Price, with cows and dairy equipment, $14,600. Incumbrance on the land $6400 at 7 per cent.

Will reserve the dairy cows and dairy equipment and deal the ranch with the three horses and all farm tools on a basis of $12,000.

Owner will consider clear eastern or Pomona if it is city, or will consider city or beach home or a couple of bungalows to $9000 or $10,000.

Exclusive here.

E. A. MORGAN CO.,

428 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—6 ACRES AT DOWNEY; house, barn, well, also irrigation water; mortgage $2500. What have you for $2500 equity? SCHAEFFER'S, 713 Laughlin Bldg. 12600.

FOR EXCHANGE — VERY HIGHLY IMPROVED dairy ranch; price $115,000; will consider clear city property to $80,000. 60476, Main 1472. 510 MERRITT BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—160-ACRE ALFALFA RANCH, worth 75 tons alfalfa already. Price $40,000. Want grocery, apartment or stores from owner. BUCKLE, 404 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED—BUNGALOW IN southwest; have 20 acres clear, San Diego county, near railroad, $1800. BURG, 63347. 325 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES, UTAH, HALF IN alfalfa, good water, $8000, clear.
12 acres fruit and beautiful house, built by architect for his own home, $12,000 clear. Grant's Pass, Or. Submit something here for one or both.
Main 6331. ARTHUR H. BAILEY, P6331. 1111 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HIGH GRADE SILVER, COPper, lead property, Arizona. Leases now taking out rich ore. Small mill on property. For control I will consider any property or business of value of $25,000. Owner. Address G, box 207, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—BETWEEN 6 AND 9 O'CLOCK Saturday evening The Times telephone switchboard is swamped with "Want ads." Avoid delay by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday. MAIN 8260, 10891.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR 15 ACRES FINE LAND at San Jacinto, clear, for bungalow here. Also $7500, 10-room house, clear, for bungalow. Figures, for clear lots, or land near. Wm. N. HOLWAY, A2308. 517 Haas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—AVE. 2 HOME EQUITIES exchanged same day. Act quick. 8 to 10 a.m. WILSON FOSTER, Klondike Park, L. A. Take Glendale car.

FOR EXCHANGE — A GOOD STOCK RANCH wanted; will trade. Main st., property and well established business in Porterville, Cal. Address R, box 182, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—GO TO BEN WRITZ TO BUY, sell or exchange property. 304 BRYSON BLK., Second and Spring sts.

FOR EXCHANGE—CAN EXCHANGE YOUR PROperty. Submit proposition. 24 hours. GOODWIN, 128 W. 6th.

FOR EXCHANGE—IF YOU WANT TO BUY, SELL or exchange anything give us a trial. 205 FERGUSON BLDG. Broadway 7555.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

PARTNER WANTED FOR GOOD HOTEL PROposition, active or otherwise, established business with good connection; must be able to invest $40,000. For all particulars, write to G, box 321, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$2500 TO FINANCE GOOD PROPOsition. will pay 2 per cent. month; money secured. No risk. Principal and interest paid liberally. Address G, box 477, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE LOCAL BANK STOCK to $55,000; will exchange for clear property. Address G, box 375, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

WANTED—PARTNER, FARM EXPERIENCE, AND $2000 upwards, and cash to that amount. Have exceptional land loan basis. We work together, money as for equipment, and extra amount for active action necessary. this year's crop. Beans have brought $10 in California next year. Get into the right place. See the place. 500 acres. Address TF, box 402, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

SODA FOUNTAIN, LUNCH AND CANDY. Fine location for sale at rarest cost; owner must leave city at once; terms can be arranged; central location, low rent. Address R, box 220, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—GARAGE IN PROSPEROUS S. SURB, large regular and tourist trade, finely equipped machine shop; an unqualified bargain. Reason for sale after estate and must sell before 1 p. m. today. Address R, box 222, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—NEWSPAPER. WHAT YOU GOT to trade? On account of the war will sell or trade my pool hall, good business and big profits. See me at once. E. M. BARTLETT, Hemet, Cal.

FOR SALE — RESTAURANT WITH A GOOD lease, doing a fine business, located in Santa Barbara, cash or terms, or will exchange for auto. Address ROGER'S CAFE, Santa Barbara, California.

BUTTER & EGG ROUTE, WITH A DANDY, 5-passenger automobile, paying a profit of $25 week, short hours; live man can increase; $600 cash; trial given. 628 W. 12TH ST.

WHAT HAVE YOU THAT COULD USE STORE, window, good location, new automobile services, complete attendance, phones and city time? Address R, box 240, TIMES OFFICE.

TRUCKING BUSINESS IN IMPERIAL VALLEY, doing $1200 to $1,800 per month. Good reason for selling. Will sell this month. BOX 482, El Centro, Cal.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM PARLOR, LOcated at transfer corner; this is a splendid proposition for party wanting a new business; 5 year lease. 1569 SUNSET BLVD.

CONFECTIONERY STORE, FINE FOR MAN AND wife, good location, next to best picture house in city. Low rent and good lease. 2928 S. VERMONT AVE.

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FOR SALE — STEAM LAUNDRY IN THRIVING city; good going business. For particulars inquire at L. A. SOAP CO., 323 E. First st., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN GROCERY AND market, or will sell meat market to good reliable butcher. Call 4435 ORCHARD AVE., or Glendale car.

FOR SALE—FRUIT AND VEGETABLE ROUTE, old established, doing a profitable business. Write for particulars, P. Y. 5054 WEST CYPRESS, house, or call after 5 o'clock.

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY fine fixtures, good location; living-room in rear; might take lot as part payment. 1726 S. FLOWER.

$2500—FAMILY LIQUOR STORE, FOR SALE OR exchange for acreage, stock or what? If looking for a snap this is it. Call 311 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE — GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET. Will discount fixtures and stock for quick sale. Address G, box 288, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—STOCK GROCERIES AND FIXTURES, cheap rent. Good location. Price $250 BUCKLE, 404 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—TIME? AGENCY AT POMONA, IN order to make quick sale will cut price to a bargain. F. M. BERRIEN, Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE — SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAIN, largest stock in the West. WEBER SHOWCASE AND FIXTURE CO., 345-350 S. Los Angeles st.

CASH GRO., FINE BUSINESS, NEW STOCK, LIVing-rooms, will invoice and give good discount; hard reason for selling. 604 W. NINTH.

DON'T PROCRASTINATE—
Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday. MAIN 8260, 10891.

FOR SALE—PLUMBING BUSINESS, ESTABLISHed 8 years, salable stock, will sell at actual value of stock, tools. McINTIRE, Tuna.

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Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

SHELDON & ROSE, 515 LAUGHLIN BLDG., 315 S. Broadway. Titles guaranteed. P6049.
$950—RESTAURANT, prosperous oil town, Taft, Cal., high rent, quantity business; owner leaves.
$900—SHOE REPAIR shop, Nevada town, 3000 population, no competition, power machinery.
$750—HALF INTEREST light mfg. business, only kind on Coast; the profits; investigate.
$1,200—RESTAURANT, soda fountain, in beautiful Hollyd, seats 40, among movies; easy terms.
$1350—BUTTERMILK, dairy produce store, downtown cor. location, always busy; money mak.
$2500—WHOLESALE Liquor House, doing big profitable business, $2500 stock, estab. 15 yrs.

FOR SALE—GROCERY.
Strictly cash grocery, located in apartment-house district, clearing over $500 per month, 3 years' free rent; $15,000 stock of staple groceries, corn, flour, tomatoes, etc.; 100 cases of milk, 75 barrels of flour bought at the old price, for quick deal will take half price for fixtures and stock. Owner, 1000 Mesa Drive, Santa Monica. Phone Holly 1181. 5536 DE LONGPRE AVE.

FOR SALE—PICTURE THEATER, BRICK BUILDing, large pipe organ, good suburban location. Theater fully equipped; 600 seats, 2 machines in fact all ready for business. A must for live picture man. Owner, your property and pay rent to yourself; will sell this property for less than half its value and give easy terms to responsible party. OWNER, A. L. KING, 839 S. Broadway.

WE HAVE FOR SALE ONE BLACKSMITH AND machine shop in the best location in State; operating account of ill health; shop is equipped with tools, lathes, power drill press, air compressor; also complete set of small tools and material; stock $800, will sacrifice for $450 cash. ... pply E. A. LEWIS & SON, Box 20, Lancaster, Calif.

WANTED—PARTY WITH ANY AMOUNT FROM $500 to $10,000. Los Angeles now presents the thing greatest opportunities of its history for business investments; this is not the time for money to lie idle in banks. Get into a producing business; the present situation provides the opportunity. Call 60476, Main 1472. 510 MERRITT BLDG.

POOLROOM, BOWLING ALLEY, SODA FOUNtain and cigar business in lively suburban city; 6,000 population; only 2 poolrooms; 6 side line pays rent. Averaging $60 daily. Will guarantee $1500 stock. Fixtures cost $2500. Will sacrifice all for $2750. Call 200 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—A REAL BARGAIN IN LONG EStablished tailoring business with complete cleaning plant including all modern equipment. Country town hundred fifty miles from Los Angeles; no competition, low expenses; can arrange terms. Apply DETMER WOOLEN COMPANY, 325 W. 7th st.

I WANT TO MEET A LIVE BUSINESS MAN WHO will take over my associate's interest in the best equipped and best known advertising and sign business in the S. W.; an opportunity to get in the best established business in the city; references exchanged. Apply 208 UNION OIL BLDG.

SMALL CONFECTIONERY STORE, COMPLETEly equipped, with a ten-foot soda water fountain and a Dunlap popcorn machine. Situated in the heart of the city. Owner sick and will sacrifice for $150 cash. 1009 CENTRAL AVE.

GET INTO AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS—
Fifty-dollar investment; man can secure established agency for high grade car. Need man with $15,000 to finance. You handle the money. Address G, box 334, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT, FAST GROWING town, well fitted, counter, 30 seats; doing 30 cents up. One living-room. Best location. Will sell cheap. Some terms to right party. Owner wants to go on ranch. 1107 W. ROSECRANS AVE., Glendale, Cal.

TWO NEW MONEY-MAKERS. 20,000 SOLD IN Minnesota, 6 months. Will exchange for $5 one take the general agency for these new articles? Send 25c, silver or stamps, for 2 samples, worth $5. NATIONAL CO., 2241 N. Thomas ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

GROCERY ATTENTION!
Giving up grocery store, will sell stock in case or broken lots with big discount; also the fixtures as scales, display counter, refrigerator, shelving, showcases, electric mill, etc. 5279 MONETA AVE.

FOR SALE—AUTO ACCESSORY STORE AND REpair shop, with good line of tires, accessories and greases, 50-gallon portable and 200-gallon underground gasoline tanks; repair shop outfitted for full line of rent. Corner VERMONT AND 20TH PLACE.

FOR SALE—IGNITION AND BATTERY CHARGing shop; only one in Southern California; good location, established 1913; is paying best; rent $40,000. For all particulars, write to G, box 321, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$2500 TO FINANCE GOOD PROPOSition, will pay 2 per cent. month; money secured. No risk. Principal and interest paid liberally. Address G, box 477, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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CIGAR STAND BARGAIN ON ACCOUNT MY son been called away to war. Must sacrifice my auto and $25 stock for $150 cash. Good clearing $125 month. See my agent, SULLIVAN, 105 W. Sixth st., Room 406.

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LUNCH ROOM FOR SALE OR RENT OR HALF payments; horseshoe, counter, 10 stools, 2 tables, seats 25; rent $16. No competition; a splendid opportunity for man and wife or two people. Call and see it today. 726 S. LOS ANGELES.

$700—RESTAURANT, WORTH $1000; OWNER going to war cause of this sacrifice; clearing $150 month. Best bay in city. Low rent, good lease. Will take car as part pay. Investigate. SULLIVAN, 105 W. Sixth, Room 406.

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WANTED—ACTIVE MAN WITH $600 AS PARTner in buying long established business. Owner retiring on account of old age. Can bear $50 to $75 week. No experience needed. 304 MERCANTILE PLACE, Room 33.

MOUSE-RIVER GENERAL STORE'S HANDSOME STORE collected before the rush of business Saturday night. MAIN 8260, 10891.

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FOR SALE—FRUIT AND VEGETABLE ROUTE, old established, doing a profitable business. Write for particulars, P. Y. 5054 WEST CYPRESS, house, or call after 5 o'clock.

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$2500—FAMILY LIQUOR STORE, FOR SALE OR exchange for acreage, stock or what? If looking for a snap this is it. Call 311 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring st.

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FOR SALE—STOCK GROCERIES AND FIXTURES, cheap rent. Good location. Price $250 BUCKLE, 404 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—TIME? AGENCY AT POMONA, IN order to make quick sale will cut price to a bargain. F. M. BERRIEN, Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE — SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAIN, largest stock in the West. WEBER SHOWCASE AND FIXTURE CO., 345-350 S. Los Angeles st.

CASH GRO., FINE BUSINESS, NEW STOCK, LIVing-rooms, will invoice and give good discount; hard reason for selling. 604 W. NINTH.

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J. J. GARMAN AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE, 142-148 N. Spring st., 112-116 Court st. P4810. Main 2114.

WANTED—TO BUY A SMALL BUSINESS AT ANY price suitable for either man of woman to manage. Address G, box 468, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

BUSINESS CHANCES WANTED—

WANTED—WILL INVEST FROM FOUR HUNDRED to a thousand dollars in legitimate proposition, what have you? Address G, box 428, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL STORE IN SMALL town, also drug stock, in good surrounding country. Address G, box 352, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE — PHONOGRAPH AND TWO dozen double records, to exchange for books, would consider set of Dickens, Scott, or other standard sets. Address R, box 196, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL TAKE FURNITURE, horses, light auto or truck and $15 per month for fine large residence lot at Lynwood, with gas and water. Address G, box 317, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—RESTAURANT WITH A GOOD lease, doing a fine business, located in Santa Barbara; will trade for auto, diamond or what have you? Address ROGER'S CAFE, Santa Barbara, California.

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFfer for good grade lubricating oil in 5-gallon cans; submit anything. Address R, box 197, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO TRADE for a lunch room in Taft? Value $800. 5-year lease; seats 30. Rent $30. Address R, box 250, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD CLEAR LOTS, WHAT have you? Phone 577197.

FOR EXCHANGE—THREE FINE BOSTON BULLS, registered, $15 up; want fine suit or overcoat. P6028.

FOR EXCHANGE—LIGHT PAIGE AUTO FOR clear lot or equity in house. MAIN 6442.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

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Residence, store, flats, ranches, IN SUMS OF $50 TO $50,000 AND UP.
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MORTGAGES, LOANS,
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JOSEPH M. GORE CO.,
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MONEY TO LOAN—
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Or for building on our terms of repayment.
STATE MUTUAL BLDG. & LOAN ASSOCIATION,
722 S. Spring st.

I HAVE ON HAND THE FUNDS OF SEVERAL OF my clients, aggregating $25,000, for first mortgage, city or country improved property. Interest rate reduced. I do an exclusive mortgage loan business and can give you prompt, courteous and efficient service. G. C. HIGBIE, 711 Hollingsworth Bldg. 62537—Main 4268.

$7500 TO LOAN, IMPROVED REAL ESTATE, amounts to suit. Must be good security. Want this money in current of time. Principals only.
VERNON C. BOGY,
927 Van Nuys Bldg. Broadway 2907.

F. C. COMPANY, HEAD BUILDING, SAN FRANcisco, loans its own money direct to borrower; amounts $1000 to $25,000 on orchards, vineyards, alfalfa, grain and cattle ranches, in San Joaquin Valley.

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on seconds. If you need money for escrow, taxes, interest, or to close estate deal, our own funds. No commission. Prompt action.
LAND MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
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We have money to lend on straight 3-year mortgage, where we do the building. Positively no commission charged.
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Owners' applications especially solicited.
H. F. EVARTS,
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WILL BUY NOTES, MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS, real estate, contracts, judgments, mechanics liens, abstracts, etc., for first and second mortgage loans. My own funds.
CHARLES O. SOUSE, Suite 723 Central Bldg.

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Do you ever use money? H. C. HOLLINS,
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$300 TO $20,000. LOWEST RATES.
City or country improved property waiting. R. W. MOYER, 316 Title Insurance Bldg., Fifth and Spring. F5107; Main 1511.

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ABUNDANT FUNDS FOR SAN JOAQUIN AND Southern California ranches and city property.
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OFFICE, SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY, $100 TO $1000 can place the money in your hands in 24 hours at lowest net cost to borrower. W. HALL CROWELL, 426 I. Broadway, room 613.

WILL LOAN UP TO $1000 AT REASONABLE rate on second mortgage, for quick action, address with full particulars, R. box 249, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, FIVE 9-FOOT BILLIARD tables, never 7 runaway, 3 pockets; are good as new and can be seen in action. E. H. FREEMAN, Sierra Madre.

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FOR SALE — AUTO EXPRESS,

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BILLIARD TABLES—
And Supplies.

FOR SALE—BILLIARD TABLES, slate carom and pocket, nearly new; 2 pocket tables at reduced prices; also bowling alleys and accessories; easy terms; write for catalogue. BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

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Furniture and fixtures; 11 bedroom and library suites, dining room and kitchen furniture, carpets and rugs, etc. Sale every day this week. Open evenings. 1000 yards heavy battleship linoleum, cut to fit any room; good condition. Cost $1; for sale at 50c per yard.
Handsome highly polished black enameled and mission oak dressers, $12 per set; 6 of these with connecting piece, leather seat, $15 per set; two pieces and chair to match, $5 per set; 3 pieces and chair to match, $7 per set; these furniture pieces must be sold at once. Call MR. WILSON, or MR. KEMP, 631 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—AUCTION.
Friday, May 18th, 10 a.m.,
1911 S. Burlington ave.
Regular weekly auction; high-grade, clean furniture, including 2 mahogany parlor suites, upholstered in velour, 10-piece dining room suite, 9x12 rugs, 2 fine gas ranges, 2 kitchen cabinets, 2 beds and other pieces. Also 1 piano, 1 Victrola, 1 Edison phonograph, 1 Kimball upright piano, sold at 1 p.m. sharp. Everything will be sold at your own price. Auctioneer will be in Los Angeles all day Thursday, and will be glad to call and look at your goods. Have us quote you a price. Storage in our fireproof warehouse. Phone us for anything you want to buy or sell. Phone Main 8402. HOT LUNCH AT NOON. Main 2471, 2472.
C. F. CALHOUN, Auctioneer,
Klotz & Calhoun, Consignees.

FOR SALE—AUCTION, THURSDAY, 9 a.m., 1615 S. Hope st., corner Venice; entire home furniture, 7615 S. Hope st., corner Venice; entire home furniture, 7615 S. Hope st., corner Venice; entire home furniture, 7

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

For New Court Clerk.

The bill creating an additional clerkship in the Los Angeles police courts was signed yesterday by Gov. Stephens.

Benefit Date Change.

The date of the Red Cross benefit to be given by the Modern Drama Players in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium has been changed from May 24 to June 7.

Hanna College Club Tea.

The Hanna College Club will give a tea this afternoon from 3 o'clock to 6 o'clock in the Narcissus tea-room in the Brack-Shops. All former students of Hanna College are requested to be present.

Girls in Rehearsal.

Five hundred Y.W.C.A. girls had a successful dress rehearsal last night of the military drill and historical pageant which they are to present next Saturday evening at Shrine Auditorium.

On National Service.

George H. Maxwell will give the second of the series of free lectures before the Million Club this evening at 8 o'clock at 412 Hamburger Building. His topic will be "National Service" and will be illustrated by stereopticon views.

W.C.T.U. Convention.

The thirty-fifth annual convention of the Southern California Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the First Methodist Church next Tuesday for a four-day session. Speakers from different parts of the State and from the East and the Middle West will present important subjects.

Bandmen on Tour.

Los Angeles police band will leave tomorrow night on a tour of the State by special train. They will participate Saturday in a relief affair for the firemen and policemen of Fresno and will also give a concert at the opening of Butte's county's spring exposition and at the Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge convention at Redding. Lieut. Dave Adams is manager of the band and Archie Brown is director.

City Planners Elect.

C. J. Colden was re-elected president of the City Planning Association of Los Angeles at yesterday's annual meeting at the Y.W.C.A. Others chosen were R. S. Rankin, vice-president; Werna A. Coble, recording secretary; G. Gordon Whitnall, corresponding secretary; A. Heineman, treasurer, and Grace White, librarian. Future meetings will be held Wednesday noons at the Y.M.C.A. The outstanding indebtedness of the club has been fully paid.

Graduation at Y.W.C.A.

Graduation exercises of the Young Women's Christian Association educational classes will take place tonight at 8 o'clock in the auditorium. The graduates are from four schools—trade sewing, trade millinery, commercial and the art expression. The programme will include readings and musical selections by the Glee Club and orchestra. The diplomas will be presented by Miss Helen Babson, educational secretary.

RATES TO ORIENT TO BE INCREASED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, May 16.—Seattle representatives of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha today announced an increase in westbound trans-Pacific freight rates from Puget Sound to Oriental ports ranging from 20 to 25 per cent. The advance of 25 per cent. will apply to shipments of iron, steel and other cargo of this nature, and the 20 per cent. advance to cargo. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha recently announced a similar advance in westbound freight rates and all of the other trans-Pacific lines are expected to follow.

HORTICULTURAL MEN TO CONFER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, May 16.—In order that all county horticultural commissioners may be fully advised as to their duties during the length of the war, State Horticultural Commissioner G. H. Hecke has called a conference of the forty-seven county commissioners at Modesto on June 6 and 7.

While assembled in Modesto, the county horticultural commissioners will listen to addresses by A. H. Naftsger, vice-chairman of the State Council of Defense, and Prof. E. H. Crocheron of the University of California, who is the leader of the farm advisers.

STRIKE TIES UP JERSEY SHIPYARDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—Officials of three Camden (N. J.) shipyards, one of which holds government contracts for the construction of fifteen submarine chasers, admitted today that the strike of carpenters, joiners and caulkers, now involving about 600 men, had virtually tied up their plants. Threats of a sympathetic strike at large plants, including the New York Shipbuilding Company and Cramps, in this city, were made by union officials.

ALIEN BOWS TO WILSON.

Asks Permission to Enter His Own Plant After June 1.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—Adelbert Fischer, president of the Schutte-Koerning Company of this city, which holds a contract for condensers for the United States Navy, filed application with the United States Marshal's office here today for permission to enter his own plant and conduct the business after June 1. This action was taken to meet requirements of President Wilson's proclamation regarding alien enemies.

Fischer, a German, is one of three principals at liberty under $10,000 bail on a charge of smuggling chronometers from one of the interned German raiders at the Philadelphia navy yard. The case will be submitted to the Federal grand jury next month.

SANTA ANA LICENSES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, May 16.—Marriage licenses issued today: Edward H. Gores, 21, and Mabel G. Kitchen, 21, both of Los Angeles; John T. Bower, 41, Stevinson, Cal., and Anna T. Young, 41, Fullerton.

Scenario Material.

SUIT FOR LAND REVIEWS FEUD.

Frontier Life is Re-enacted in Homestead Contest.

"Gun Man" Said to Guard Tract in Mayes Canyon.

Malicious Prosecution Charge also to be Filed.

A reversion to frontier life is to be aired in the Los Angeles courts. A contest for possession of sixty-five acres of valuable land near the mouth of Mayes Canyon was initiated yesterday, when William G. Eckert, a homesteader, filed an action in the local Land Office against Edmund L. Brown to have vacated the patent to the land which Mr. Brown holds.

Another suit will be filed in the county courts today by Mr. Eckert's attorneys, Griffith Jones and James W. Bell, for Miss Mary Brooke, sister of Mr. Eckert, charging Mr. Brown with malicious prosecution.

In the feud of the two families both Mr. Eckert and his sister have been arrested, and each side accuses the other of dire things.

Yesterday's complaint charges that Mr. Brown has put a "gunman" on the land and threatens serious trouble if the Eckerts interfere. Mr. Eckert further contends that Mr. Brown repudiated a water contract between the two and refused to let him share in the water, and on August 2, 1916, had him arrested under a warrant issued by Police Judge White for attempting to interfere with the pipe line and water on his land.

It is alleged by Mr. Eckert that on the following day, when four officers visited the pipe line back of his house, his sister, Miss Brooke, who was in the back yard feeding her chickens, was arrested. She was not allowed, it is said, to change her dress, don her hat or wash her hands, which were covered with the mash she was feeding the chickens, but taken to Los Angeles. She was released by Justice White on her own recognizance, and at her trial, August 9, was exonerated. She was charged with disturbing the peace.

The land involved is said to be worth $1000 an acre. It was located by Mr. Eckert in 1910, when he was a forest ranger. Later he discovered by some oversight that the ground had not been homesteaded and still was open. Visions of a home and plenty for his loved ones came to him, and in November, 1910, he filed the homestead papers and settled on the place. He improved it, built a house, planted trees and cultivated the soil, and has lived there ever since. Mr. Eckert became ill and his money gave out. He went to Mr. Brown, a wealthy grocer, for aid. Mr. Brown extended him credit and, demanding security for his goods, as the complaint states, proposed that Mr. Eckert sell him a part of the homestead for $2500, with the understanding that he would pay Mr. Eckert in installments of $50 a month. This was agreed upon, and the arrangement continued several months, until $730 had been advanced to Mr. Eckert. Then Mr. Eckert agreed to relinquish his homestead and let Mr. Brown file on it, with the understanding, he says, that Mr. Brown would prove up and deed back the west half, and at the same time would continue the payments until the whole $2500 was paid.

This was about February 22, 1915. Mr. Brown immediately filed on the land, but shortly afterwards informed Mr. Eckert, so it is charged, that their agreement was illegal, could not be enforced, and refused to pay Mr. Eckert anything more or extend more credit.

Then trouble started. Mrs. Eckert filed a contest on the ground that her husband was ill and incompetent at the time of relinquishing the homestead. The local office and the General Land Office have decided against the Eckerts, and the case is pending before the Secretary of the Interior on appeal.

RIVERSIDE MAN IS GIVEN ESTATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

RIVERSIDE, May 16.—Robert J. Barrett of this city, but for years a resident of Los Angeles, is heir to a $250,000 estate left by his wife, who recently died at Pawnee, Neb. He married her in Los Angeles in December and his wife returned home to settle her affairs there. She died April 5, leaving a will which gave the estate to nephews and nieces. The court set aside the will and gave the Riverside man the estate, according to advices from Pawnee.

TRAIN WAITS WHILE INQUEST IS HELD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

RIVERSIDE, May 16.—A train of the California Southern Railroad was held on the desert midway between Blythe Junction and Blythe while C. F. Dickson, Coroner of Riverside county, conducted an inquest and burial services today over the body of Jesus Ruiz, who was killed Monday during a quarrel with a companion. Bionicio Castellanos was arrested by W. M. Walsh, deputy sheriff, on a charge of having killed Ruiz, according to advices received tonight from Blythe.

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

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APRIL, 1917.

		Copies.
April	1 (Sunday)	113,950
April	2	67,060
April	3	69,457
April	4	68,536
April	5	68,536
April	6	69,830
April	7	69,067
April	8 (Sunday)	115,700
April	9	68,616
April	10	68,222
April	11	68,226
April	12	68,560
April	13	68,102
April	14	68,205
April	15 (Sunday)	114,000
April	16	68,092
April	17	68,142
April	18	68,184
April	19	67,943
April	20	68,165
April	21	68,249
April	22 (Sunday)	114,750
April	23	67,819
April	24	67,958
April	25	68,079
April	26	67,508
April	27	67,773
April	28	67,797
April	29 (Sunday)	115,550
April	30	68,300

Average for every day of April 76,060
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Average every day gain over April, 1916 2,765
Average Sunday only gain over April, 1916 5,344

H. G. OTIS,
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THE WEATHER.

[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, May 16.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.01. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 54 deg. and 66 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 90 per cent.; 5 p.m., 35 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northwest, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Highest temperature, 69 deg.; lowest, 53 deg. Rainfall for season, 18.56 inches; last season, 19.39 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The barometer continues high over the central portion of the country, and the weather there is generally fair and moderately warm. The northern area of low pressure drifted easterly into Manitoba, causing general showers in its passage from the North Pacific Coast. The area of high pressure now entering the coast of California is causing the skies and will cause continued fair weather in Los Angeles and vicinity, during the coming thirty-six hours.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum temperatures as reported during the past twenty-four hours: Mt. Wilson, 40 deg.; Pasadena, 43; Pomona, 39; Redlands, 38; Riverside, 45; Santa Barbara, 44; San Bernardino, 42 deg.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Thursday; northwest winds.

For Southern California: Fair Thursday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Weather forecast; San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness Thursday; light to moderate westerly wind.

Sacramento Valley: Increasing cloudiness Thursday; light northwest winds.

Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Thursday; light northwest winds.

Southern California: Fair Thursday; light westerly wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON (D. C.) May 16.—Forecast for Arizona: Thursday and Friday, fair; not much change in temperature.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 19.40 feet; discharge, 5100 second-feet.

Meteorologist Fred A. Carpenter yesterday received the following telegram from the official in charge of the Imperial office of the Weather Bureau: "Forecast for Colorado River at Topock by May 25, eight feet at Parker, and twenty-two feet at Yuma by the 30th inst."

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ACOSTA—ALVARES. Carlos Acosta, 30; Carolita Alvarez, 21.
ALDAY—ZABUNTA. Juan G. Alday, 42; Antonia Zabunta, 33.
ANDERSON—BERGER. John G. Anderson, 40; Florence A. Berger, 32.
BACON—MILLER. Edwin Bacon, 32; Agnes Miller, 33.
BERMAN—FRIEDMAN. Theodore Berman, 27; Minnie Friedman, 28.
BRACKETT—JOHNSON. Roy C. Brackett, 25; Lola L. Johnson, 21.
CORBETT—CORBIN. John Corbett, 69; Mary E. Osborn, 60.
EDWARDS—OLIVIGNI. Bennett D. Edwards, 39; Elizabeth M. Olivigni, 31.
HARKINS—ANDERSON. Elmer E. Harkins, 27; Bessie E. Anderson, 24.
HIGHTOWER—BISSON. Deane B. Hightower, 29; Mabel Bisson, 24.
JONES—JENNINGS. David E. Jones, 65; Mamie E. Jennings, 64.
KIRKPATRICK—ANDERSON. Harry A. Kirkpatrick, 25; A. Ethel Anderson, 22.
KOERNER—TAFT. Leroy Koerner, 24; Vaulleta Taft, 19.
KRANTZ—LOVEN. Charles Krantz, 31; Ida M. Loven, 24.
LASHAM—KURN. William P. Lasham, 25; Margaret H. Kurn, 22.
MESSEL—NEWTON. Emil Messel, 29; Evangeline Procter, 19.
MESA—CARDENAS. Pedro Mesa, 28; Eduardo Cardenas, 28.
MITCHELL—MAGNUS. Albert T. Mitchell, 28; Mildred M. Magnus, 23.
SANE—MOGO. Benoit Sane, 32; Eulalia Mogo, 29.
SMITH—HALL. John A. Smith, 35; Flora A. Hall, 30.
SMITH—LEACH. Frank T. Smith, 40; Ethel Leach, 30.
SULLIVAN—LUPER. Tom M. Sullivan, 21; Beulah Luper, 20.
THOMURE—ULM. Emile Thomure, 60; Lily Ulm, 50.
WEIGMANN—MILLER. Frederick R. Weigmann, 26; Olive Miller, 27.
WINN—STRONG. Arthur B. Winn, 38; Daisy B. Strong, 36.
WOODWARD—HENDEE. Herbert R. Woodward, 32; Josie E. Hendee, 32.
WYMAN—LOWDEN. Jay D. Wyman, 27; Clara A. Andersen, 27.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

CHESEBROUGH. Mr. and Mrs. Harry B., Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital, May 14.
FAWCETT. Mr. and Mrs. William H., Boy. 1327 West Avenue 63, May 8.
HAYES. Mr. and Mrs. James P., Daughter. Sisters' Hospital, May 13.
LEIBLING. Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand H., Daughter. 237 Amelvest street, May 7.
MATTHEWS. Mr. and Mrs. Charles W., Boy. 1326 East Adams street, May 12.
McCRACKEN. Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Boy, 426 East Seventy-ninth street, May 11.
McGRAW. Mr. and Mrs. James, Boy, 1320 West Twenty-fifth street, May 12.
MORGAN. Mr. and Mrs. J. D., Boy, 235 West Forty-sixth street, May 10.
PETTENGILL. Mr. and Mrs. William H., Boy, 1717 Wall street, May 10.
RITTMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Fred, Daughter, 629 East Forty-second street, May 12.
SEABURY. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P., Daughter. Sisters' Hospital, May 12.
SHAPLEIGH. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W., Daughter, 2104 West Twenty-ninth street, May 14.
SHERWOOD. Mr. and Mrs. Chester A., Boy. Sherwood Hospital, May 12.
TRIBIT. Mr. and Mrs. Charles H., Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, May 13.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

ARNOLD, George J. against Louise M.
BARIN, Fran against Ludovico.
BARNARD, Louise V. against John Phillip.
CURTIS, Alvina Tov Juliet against Albert B.
FIELDS, Annie against Richard.
LAWRENCE, Margaret C. against Aubrey Pascoe.
PIERCE, Pearl V. against William B.
STANDIFER, Grace against Leo A.
WILKINSON, Shirley B. against Joseph A.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

HEWITT, Fred F. from Viola.
JACOBS, Ruth from Russell.
NEWELL, Stella from Ernest P.
SCOGGROFT, Goldie from Max.
TOWNLEE, John G. from Elma A.
WATSON, Robert W. from Mary K.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
FEARS, William. Los Angeles	73	May 13
GARDNER, Lizzie. Los Angeles	24	May 14
NORTHRUP, Rebecca. Los Angeles	69	May 14
PICKARD, Jane. Los Angeles	70	May 12
RYAN, Jane. Los Angeles	78	May 14
SHEPPARD, Florence. Los Angeles	48	May 12
TARBELL, Laura A. Los Angeles	49	May 14
TINKER, John W. Los Angeles	64	May 16
WOODALL, Matilda. Los Angeles	77	May 15

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BIRCH. Funeral services for Amanda Birch will be held today at 3 p.m. from the funeral chapel of W. R. Rolfe Co.
CONA. In this city, May 16, Ernesto Cona. Remains at parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 810 South Flower. Funeral notice later.
EIMERS. May 16, William Eimers, beloved husband of Louise Eimers, aged 62 years. Funeral Friday, May 18, at 8:30 a.m., from the residence, No. 1515 Bacon street, Hollywood, thence to St. Joseph's Church at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery. Cunningham & O'Connor, directors.
FERRINO. In this city, May 15, Bertha Ferrino. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 810 South Flower, Friday, May 18, 3 p.m.
SAMORA. In this city, May 16, Caroline R. Samora. Remains at the parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 810 South Flower. Funeral notice later.
SMITH, May 16, James R. Smith. Remains at parlors of W. A. Brown.
SNOW, May 16, Alice G. Snow, aged 50 years. Funeral, Friday, May 18, 8:30 a.m., from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor. Requiem mass at St. Cecelia's Church at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.
THARP, May 15, Delfina A. Tharp, widow of the late James C. Tharp, aged 58 years, beloved mother of Eddie Tharp of Florence, Ariz., Mrs. Ida Sherra and Mrs. L. W. Butler of this city. Services will be held at the chapel of Gabriel & Company, No. 1237 South Flower, Friday, May 18, at 2:30 p.m. Friends invited.
WHITAKER. Charles P. Whitaker of No. 1148 West Jefferson, beloved husband of Emma Whitaker, loving son of Reuben Whitaker and brother of Harry Whitaker. Funeral services from residence Friday, May 18, at 2 p.m. Services strictly private. R. E. Cruthirds-Ross Co. in charge of arrangements.
WILSON. At No. 1814 South St. Andrews place, May 15, Frances W. Wilson, aged 15 years, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson, and sister of Louis Wilson, all of this city. Funeral services today at 2 p.m. from residence, No. 1814 South St. Andrews place. W. A. Brown, funeral director.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our appreciation for sympathy shown us by our friends and neighbors, also members of the Sierra Madre Lodge, No. 408, F. & A. M.; Sierra Madre Chapter, No. 200, O.E.S.; M. W. of A., No. 2742, of Pasadena, in our late bereavement. MRS. NANCY BUSH AND FAMILY.

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GOOD HUNTING.

Deer, mountain quail, valley quail, doves, rabbits, all appear to be holding their own pretty well in the San Jacinto country. In the canyon quail and doves are all paired off and so plentiful about Ranger Searcy's cabin that a dozen pairs will be flushed in a hundred yards.

QUESTIONS IN CITY'S VOTE

Possibly Nine Propositions at June Election.

Council to Submit a Bond Power Bond Plan.

Jitney Bus Ordinance to be Voted On.

Eight and possibly nine ordinances will be put up to voters for their decision at the municipal election on June 5.

Two of the ordinances bonds; two pertain to the operations, and possibly will have to do with the annexation additional territory to Los Angeles. The others are varied in their nature.

The City Council yesterday passed a limited power proposal. The $3,000,000 bond proposal by Chairman Bethquist was cut down to $2,000,000, after argument. If favorably acted upon by the voters, the money will be used through the bonds will be used to build the power plant in the Kern River Canyon, the power plant in the San Gabriel River Gorge and for distribution work in Franklin Canyon.

SAGGING RESERVE.

During the arguments on the proposed submission of the bonds Councilman Bethquist called attention to the declining reserve in the power companies.

"Since the controversy over the $12,000,000 bond proposal, receipts have been cut in a day," he said. Commissioner Hewitt took exception to this statement. Only $3072.15 was turned in yesterday.

The second bond proposal, for $1,750,000 for vitally needed water development.

The first jitney bus ordinance, providing for prohibition of their operation on main downtown thoroughfares, and other jitney bus ordinances, amended by the operators of the buses for reduction in the present rates for licenses.

The annexation proposal will be two. The first of these, tentatively landed on the ballot, considers the bringing into the city of Angeles Mesa and the district covering the sewage disposal system out to the ocean at Ryan's Point, the possible annexation of Hollywood and its environs rests with the voters of that place. These will decide the election in favor of annexation in Sawtelle. Chairman Bethquist stated that these three districts have more than the necessary number registered in the precincts.

CEDE TO GOVERNMENT.

The anti-discrimination clause entered by the Chamber of Commerce is up to the voters. It provides that to the present Los Angeles Harbor distance, if it passed, will not affect the slaughter-houses now located in the newly-annexed territory.

An important ordinance, which will provide for the unanimous support of the voters, covers the ceding of the outer harbor submarine lands to the government for the establishment of a submarine base and aviation base site.

MRS. COWLES TALKS TO WOMEN'S [illegible]

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH (Kan.), May 16.—Urging that every effort be made toward conservation of resources in America, Mrs. Joshua Cowles of Los Angeles, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, addressed the annual convention of the Kansas Federation of Women's Clubs here tonight.

"We must share with our allies the last crust," she said, "and responsibility does not end with peace or war. If peace were declared tomorrow the world would be just the same as it threatens a large part of it is today. We must feed ourselves and our allies until normal conditions return. Half the responsibility rests with the women of the nation. We must increase production. We must conserve food. We can no longer afford a people of economy."

UNIONISTS RESENT A THREAT OF [illegible]

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Unless the American Federation of Labor [illegible] determined today to take [illegible] Department of Justice [illegible] authorities of a number of [illegible] munities have threatened [illegible] prisonment unless [illegible] on strike during the war [illegible] claimed government [illegible] their attitude.

The latest report of [illegible] tion came from Butte, [illegible] where county commissioners [illegible] said to have promised a [illegible] street car employes [illegible] threatening to strike, [illegible] them prisoners without [illegible] the war ends.

AVIATOR A SUICIDE.

Body of Recruit Found [illegible] Lot of St. Louis.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—[illegible] Charles Haverkamp, [illegible] tion recruit, stationed [illegible] barracks, was found [illegible] here today. An empty [illegible] ing a poison label was [illegible] body. The cause of [illegible] unknown. He lived in [illegible]

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the office of the Western Union for B. Byrn, Miss Ethel Doughty, Maurice Johnson, C. R. Norton, Paralow, A. L. Pomeroy, W. R. Shasky, John A. Whitstone, the Postal for Kinsman, James A. Ashby.

THE TOLL OF A [illegible]

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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National Crisis Lends New Fire to Heroes of Sixty Years Ago, Marching Again in Tune with the Times.

In the annual review of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of California and Nevada, at Long Beach yesterday. At the right is J. E. Weft, wheeled by Boy Scouts in the parade, a glimpse of which is shown in the center. At the left is Arthur J. Pillsbury and Martha Dunning. (See text on Page 5.)

Practicing the gardening that he preaches. Right to left, Col. W. J. Bryan, E. G. Judah, Luther Brown.

Girls of the Los Angeles Y.W.C.A. in military drill.
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Big Deal.

TWO AND A QUARTER MILLIONS FOR SUGAR COMPANY CONTROL.

A DEAL was closed in the office of Attorney Henry O'Melveny in this city yesterday whereby a controlling interest in the Santa Ana Sugar Company, which owns a big plant at Santa Ana, passed into the hands of the Holly Sugar Corporation, which thereby becomes one of the largest concerns of the kind in the world. According to A. J. Crookshank, representing about fifty stockholders of the sellers in the deal, the consideration is $2,250,000 cash. This represents, roughly, three-fourths of the 6000 shares of stock, worth $500 a share. The remaining quarter remains in the hands of James Irvine, one of the founders of the Santa Ana Sugar Company.

Mr. O'Melveny said that S. W. Sinsheimer, who conducted the negotiations for the purchase, will be the new president of the company. Other details will be completed today. It is not the intention at present to make any enlargements or improvements. The new company will take hold at once.

Mr. Sinsheimer, who resides at San Luis Obispo, is vice-president of the Holly corporation and head of the operating department, with headquarters at Denver. Last April A. E. Carlson, a banker of Crippio Creek, and other capitalists associated with him, became interested in the corporation. A holding company was formed, with a capitalization of $5,300,000, and acquired control of the sugar plants at Huntington Beach, Holly and Swink, Colo., and Sheridan, Wyo. In October, last, the great Glendale sugar factory, nine miles northwest of Phoenix, Ariz., was added to its holdings. It also secured the Southern California Sugar Company's plant at Delhi. C. A. Johnson is California manager.

The Holly people now own three big sugar factories of the five located in Orange county, which has more sugar factories located within its boundaries than any other county in the country.

The Santa Ana Sugar Company was established five years ago by James Irvine, owner of the 100,000-acre Irvine ranch; James McFadden, A. J. Crookshank, R. T. Harris and others who were not satisfied with the management of the Southern California Sugar Company, in which they were stockhold-

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To Till California Fields.

GROWERS' CONVENTION VOTES TO IMPORT FILIPINO LABOR.

BRINGING into California from the Philippines a sufficient number of farm laborers to relieve the present shortage of help, and to provide for the increased demands certain to occur next season, is the solution of the labor problem indorsed yesterday by a meeting of representatives of the agricultural and horticultural interests of Central and Southern California. Immediate action to forward a campaign on this line will be taken.

About 150 delegates, representing organizations of agriculturalists and horticulturalists of about two-thirds of the State met both forenoon and afternoon yesterday at the headquarters of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange. The purpose was to make a general survey of the situation, through reports from each community, and to determine as nearly as possible what amount of labor is needed beyond the present supply. Statistics on this line are being tabulated, and will be made public within a few days.

The reports indicated, however, that there is a serious shortage of farm labor, some of the speakers putting the estimate as high as 10,000 persons. This is also the figure reached by the State and County Free Labor Bureau.

Many phases of the labor situation were discussed in the two sessions, and the result was a determination to work together for relief from the present situation through an appeal to the government to bring men here from the Philippines.

A permanent organization was effected, with C. C. Teague as chairman, and the following resolutions, embodying the thought of this gathering, were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, at a called meeting of the agricultural and allied interests

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Gloomy Prediction.

WAR TAX WILL CLOSE UP HALF OF ALL THEATERS, SAYS KLAW.

THE Los Angeles Theatrical Managers' Association met yesterday at the offices of W. T. Wyatt, in the Mason Operahouse Building, and discussed the pending war tax bill with reference to its effect on the theatrical business of the city and nation. Mr. Wyatt, president of the association, was in the chair, and in addition to hearing from local managers as to their views on the new tax bill, the meeting was addressed by Marc Klaw, president of the Allied Theatrical Managers' Association of the United States.

Mr. Klaw expressed the opinion that, if the bill is passed in its present form, it will seriously handicap the theatrical business throughout the country. He said that the tax on railroad tickets and berth reservations would be a serious menace to the profession, as it would force the traveling theatrical companies to demand a larger percentage of gross receipts. He went on to say that this, taken with the proposal to tax box-office receipts 10 per cent., will operate to work such a hardship on theatrical men that fully half the theaters in the country will have to close.

A resolution, which was framed in the form of a telegram was sent to Senators Phelan and Johnson asking that they endeavor to have this tax either eliminated or at least reduced. Theatrical men all over the country took similar action, according to Mr. Klaw.

SENTENCED TO YEAR OF GOLF.

Ill-health Forces Resignation of State Treasurer of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Herbert A. Cable of this city, president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, yesterday received the resignation of Mrs. Bradford Woodbridge of Roseville, who was elected treasurer of the federation at the recent State convention at Pasadena. Mrs. Woodbridge has been in poor health for some time and her temporary abandonment of club work, in which she has long been a prominent and valued figure, is under the orders of her physician. She says she has been sentenced to a year out of doors, preferably on the golf links. Mrs. Woodbridge does not care for golf, however.

Mrs. Cable said that a successor to Mrs. Woodbridge will be elected by the State Executive Board at its first meeting, which will be in June, at a place to be later designated. She will make no recommendation and has no idea who will be named, but believes it will probably be some member of the southern district, as Los Angeles already has its share of officers.

Development.

CHIN-CHUCK SEQUEL.

Head of Montebello High School Who was Accused by Lady Teacher Says She is Now "On a Leave of Absence not to Return."

Friends in San Luis Obispo of Prof. E. L. Mitchell, principal of the Montebello High School, said yesterday that they have received a circular letter from him touching on the recent episode wherein he was charged by Miss May Wallace, a girl teacher, with having chucked her under the chin. In it he sets out that the trouble originated with a political fight and that Miss Wallace's conduct was inspired. She was reinstated by County Superintendent Keppel but, according to Mr. Mitchell, was then "granted a leave of absence and will not resume her duties."

Superintendent Keppel could not be reached last night.

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Contingent.

REBEL SERVICE NOT EXPENSIVE.

Anti-Cantu Warrior Wanted Fifty Cents a Day.

And Promise of Police Chief Job at Mexicali.

Witness in Neutrality Trial Couldn't Raise Army.

Pedro Martinez, a laborer, now living on the outskirts of San Diego, offered his services as a soldier to Balthazar Aviles, one of the six defendants in the neutrality case being tried before Federal Judge Farrington, for 50 cents a day and the promise that he would be made chief of police of Mexicali in the event Gov. Cantu should be overthrown. He made this statement on the witness stand yesterday.

The witness said he had been delegated by Mr. Aviles to recruit other Mexicans, whose pay would also be the same.

"I couldn't get anyone because they would not work for so small an amount," he said.

Juan N. Fernandes, partner of Manuel Brassell, the government's "star witness," said he, too, was promised a big job by Mr. Aviles. He did not know just what the job was to be, but said he was to be second in command to Brassell. The latter having previously testified that he was to have been a colonel. Attorney Lawler of counsel for the defense asked the witness if he were promised a lieutenant-colonelship.

PROMISED HIM STRAPS.

"Yes I was to be a 'lost' colonel," he answered.

Brassell was on the witness stand for a few minutes yesterday morning, and again admitted that he had agreed to accept some money in return for his leaving the United States, and not appear as a witness in the present case. The admission was in connection with an alleged conversation he had with one Pablo Coronel.

"I told him to go ahead and get the money and we would talk the rest of the matter over later," the witness said.

Fernandes was produced by the government to give corroboration to the story told Tuesday by Brassell. He apparently understood English, but spoke it brokenly. In common with the "star," he was afflicted with loss of memory in many instances.

The witness said he and Brassell had met Mr. Aviles and the latter outlined to them a plan for the overthrow of Gov. Cantu. He said attacks were to be made by land and sea, the water invasion to be at Ensenada and the land forces to make an attack upon Mexicali.

Under cross-examination the witness said he had never met Harry Chandler, one of the defendants, but had met the five others. He met W. K. Bowker, he said, on the C. & M. ranch and admitted that when he and Brassell went to the ranch both were "broke." He said they asked Mr. Bowker for some money.

DIDN'T HANDLE MONEY.

"Mr. Bowker told us he didn't have anything to do with that," said the witness.

Fernandes said he is 31 years old and is a native of Chihuahua, Mex. He has lived in El Paso and Los Angeles. Here he worked once as an operator in a moving picture show on North Main street. In Mexico he said he was in the mercantile business, owning a grocery and clothing store. He said the store had no name, and he had not seen it for five months.

Progress in the trial is slow, due chiefly to the fact that one witness could talk English only through an interpreter and another could be understood only with difficulty. It is said practically all the witnesses for the government are Mexicans, and there is little hope of much speed being attained.

Smile.

SALESMEN URGE NORMAL TRADE.

WISE POLICY TO TAKE HOPEFUL VIEW OF SITUATION.

Managers Advised to Radiate Optimism at Every Opportunity. Present Situation Embraces Much of Encouragement to Man Who Keeps from Rocking Boat.

"Keep Business Normal" was the slogan adopted last night by the Los Angeles division of the International Salesmanagers' Association at a meeting at the Alexandria Hotel.

"Improved Business Methods which Would Diminish Resort to Courts" was the subject of an address by Superior Judge McCormick, following which was a general discussion covering the successful handling of business.

The discussion was led by J. H. Gough, chairman, and papers were read covering the subject generally. Reference was made to the beneficial effect of the slogan, adopted by British business men at the beginning of the war, "Business as Usual," and sales managers were urged to use their influence in radiating optimism.

E. G. Judah and several others covered the vital principles underlying all business and particularly the wisdom of taking a hopeful view of the present situation. Mr. Judah said: "This condition holds much of encouragement for the man who tends strictly to the task in hand and puts forth his best efforts to the end that the normal processes of business be kept quick and vital at this critical time."

TO HEAR WITNESSES.

At the instance of S. S. Hahn, local attorney figuring into alleged irregularities in the Parisi murder case, the grand jury yesterday consented to hear two witnesses who the lawyer says will bear out his contentions in the matter. In contradiction of certain reports made Mr. Hahn says that Rosie Smith, the chief witness in the case, has made no affidavits as to her supposedly-coached testimony, and that her father has made none lately. He says the only affidavits which he has secured in the case were signed by Miss Teresa Pepe and George Sanchez.

JITNEUSE STUNG FOR THOUSANDS.

Lady Driver not in Court as Jury Rules Her Guilty in Damage Action.

Mollie B. Evans, Hermosa Beach's lady jitney-bus driver, may not know it but she is out $4000 legally. This sum in damages was awarded L. A. Weatherington by a jury in Judge Myers's court yesterday in an action against her, alleging negligent driving.

And she wasn't even there to hear the verdict.

Mr. Weatherington was run down and injured by the Evans hack on Hermosa avenue in the beach city and sued for $15,930 damages. In answer the woman alleged Mr. Weatherington did not give sufficient attention to traffic.

Growers' Votes.

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of the State, held on this date, at which meeting there were present about 150 delegates; and

Whereas, it was developed at this meeting that there is confronting California a serious shortage of labor; and

Whereas, the development of the State of California in the expansion of industrial enterprises, the many thousands of acres of young orchards already planted, but not yet in bearing, and the farming of many thousands of acres of land not heretofore farmed, will call for a large amount of additional labor; and

Whereas, the government is making strenuous efforts to speed up the food production of the United States in order that our nation, as well as our allies, may be properly fed; and

Whereas, the national conscription law has just been passed by Congress, under which it is proposed to draft 2,000,000 of our young men; and

Whereas, the great industrial activities, due to war conditions, have taken practically all of the white labor out of agricultural lines into more remunerative fields of work, leaving Mexican labor largely predominating in agricultural lines; and

Whereas, even should we continue at peace with Mexico our supply of labor from that country will be largely cut off by reason of the recent passage of the Federal immigration law, which established a literacy test, one of the requirements of this test being that every immigrant coming into the United States must be able to read from thirty to forty words in his own language, and oriental labor is cut off by Federal action, and European labor is cut off by reason of war conditions; and

Whereas, the Philippine Islands seem to offer the most available source of supply to fill this shortage; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that a committee of nine of which the chairman shall be one member, be appointed by the chair to co-operate with the State Council of Defense in making representation to the Federal government of the labor needs of the State for agricultural and allied interests as indicated by representatives present at this meeting assembled, and that they be urged to take such action as is necessary to bring in from time to time a sufficient number of farm laborers from the Philippine Islands, or from some other source, to meet the growing requirements of the State.

"Tell it to the Marines."

[Collier's Weekly:] "Tell it to the marines," we say, and thus express our doubts. According to Pepys, the man who first used the expression was King Charles the Second of England. Somebody had been telling him about flying fish. The King thought flying fish were a joke. But a colonel of marines who happened to be in the party assured him that flying fish were a familiar reality in the tropics. "Henceforth," said King Charles, "whenever we cast doubt upon a tale that lacketh likelihood, we will tell it to the marines—if they believe, it is safe to say it is true." For the marines go everywhere and see everything. The United States and the British are the only forces which include a marine corps—a corps of men who are neither sailors nor soldiers, but both. It is because they are both that they are the first to go when trouble starts—whether it's in Vera Cruz or Guam. Our marines have seen service in Egypt, Tripoli, Algiers, Mexico, China, Japan, Korea, Cuba, Porto Rico, Panama, Nicaragua, Santo Domingo, Formosa, Sumatra, Hawaii, Samoa, Alaska, the Philippines and Haiti.

Tin will be Smelted Here.

[Scientific American:] The use of Bolivia tin in this country has always involved a long transportation of the ore around the Horn to Liverpool or sometimes to Cornwall, from which places, after reduction, the metal has been shipped across the ocean again, mostly to New York, for American distribution.

But the opening of the Panama Canal has so shortened the journey from Mollendo, Peru, and from Arica and Antofagasta, Chile—the chief ports used by landlocked Bolivia in her dealings with the outer world—that they are now less than half as far from New York, as from the British smelters. Accordingly, the best economy seems to demand that we bring the Bolivian ore directly here and do our own smelting; and this we are now about to do.

The largest European firm of tin smelters has just purchased a tract of some nine acres of land on the northern shore of Jamaica Bay, the great basin which some day is to play such a heavy role in New York's commercial development. Plans for a tin smelter on this site, which will be the largest and most modern of its kind in the world, are in preparation, and within a year this will be in actual operation. When completed and in full swing it will have an annual output of 20,000 tons of tin.

Her Class.

[Tit-bits:] "How would you classify a telephone girl?" asked the old fogey. "Is hers a business or a profession?"

"Neither," replied his friend. "It's a calling."

Awoke to Her Value.

[Boston Transcript:] Nell: So he jilted her, did he? That must have made her feel cheap.

Belle: On the contrary, it gave her a very expensive feeling—she sued him for $25,000 for damage to her heart.

Less and Less.

HEROES MARCH, FLAG-FLANKED.

Veterans of Civil War Tread Long Beach Streets.

Thinning Line, Halting Steps, Force the Tears.

Big Event of the Encampment, Election, is Today.

The army of 1861 captured the city of Long Beach yesterday. Heroes of the Civil War proudly marched in parade, the big public feature of the annual encampment of the Department of California and Nevada, G.A.R., and affiliated organizations.

Exaltation vied with pathos for dominance of sentiment among the thousands who lined the curbstones where the veterans passed in review. Exaltation predominated when there surged through the throngs the reflection that the sacrifices offered by these men won for the present generation liberties now enjoyed by the greatest nation on earth.

Pathos supplanted this feeling when there intervened the inescapable evidence of the rapidly-thinning ranks and halting steps that soon means the entire disappearance of the remnant of the band of veterans.

HEADS UNCOVERED.

Citizens and visitors of Long Beach who witnessed the parade stood with heads bowed as this western division of the army of '61 passed through lines of school children carrying flags, and who were aided in the flag line by women dressed in white, representing the delegates to the affiliated organizations of the G.A.R. men now in encampment.

With military precision, the parade started promptly at the stroke of 10, a remarkable feat of the occasion. It is estimated that between 1500 and 1700 veterans composed the procession.

Boy Scouts were stationed on either side of First street, between Pine and Pacific avenues, and stood at attention while the marching columns passed through their lines.

Chief Aide A. R. Paul, member of the Sedgwick Post, Santa Ana, was the officer of the day. J. R. Milner, chairman of the Entertainment Committee appointed by the Long Beach post, directed with the officer of the day the marshalling of the old soldiers, their escorts and the musicians.

The divisions composing the parade were Long Beach Municipal Band, escort of Sons of Veterans, Dolly Madison Drum Corps of San Francisco, consisting of Daughters of Veterans; present and past California and Nevada Department officers of the G.A.R.; Stanton Post of Los Angeles, the largest in the United States; Los Angeles Veterans' Drum Corps; Bartlett-Logan Post, Los Angeles; Robley Evans Post, Los Angeles; J. F. Godfrey Post, Pasadena; Long Beach Veterans' Fife and Drum Corps; Sedgwick Post, Santa Ana; veterans from the Sawtelle Old Soldiers' Home; Long Beach Post.

OFFICERS' DIVISION.

The department officers' division was composed of A. E. Leavitt, department commander; Charles H. Haskins, senior vice-commander; H. G. Thompson, junior vice-commander; S. W. Hopkins, medical director; W. A. Waterman, chaplain; John H. Roberts, assistant adjutant-general and quartermaster; J. M. Walling, judge advocate; B. B. Tuttle, patriotic instructor; M. H. Wager, chief mustering officer; A. B. Paul, senior aide-de-camp; J. R. Milner, John Rainsbury, L. H. Edel, W. A. Huddard and John Spellman, council of administration.

A reception in honor of the officers of the G.A.R. and other organizations attending the encampment was held at the Virginia Hotel last night. Under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans a dance was given, following a short programme.

Today the veterans will get down to the biggest business of the four-days' session, that of electing officers for the coming twelve months. Several important resolutions also will be considered.

Community Tractors.

[Minneapolis Journal:] Communities that desire to do something for thet country—and incidentally for themselves—should consider the new plan of purchasing community tractors. The members of the Board of Trade of Toronto clubbed together and bought five farm tractors this spring, with plowing attachments, to be used wherever farmers ask for them within a radius of thirty miles of Toronto. Representatives of the board worked out an itinerary, so that little time has been lost so far in moving the tractors from farm to farm. The result shows that about everything plowable in the vicinity of Toronto has been plowed.

The chairman of the Kansas Council of Defense, Dr. H. J. Waters, who is also president of the State Agricultural College, is operating farm tractors for plowing, harrowing and sowing on a twenty-four hour schedule. The machines carry searchlights and have relays of operators. Mechanics have been recruited in Kansas City and repair stations have been set up in proximity to the central points of operation.

Here are practical schemes of actual help to the community. Tractor clubs may be of enormous help to a community and thus to the country. Advice is easy to give, but here is a plan for definite and well-directed assistance on the matter immediately in hand, a matter that concerns us all so vitally.

Form a tractor club!

Federal Roads for Kansas.

[Kansas City Times:] A State system of roads covering between 5000 and 6000 miles will be completed by the State Highway Commission of Kansas as rapidly as the engineers can work out the plans. These will be listed as State highways and will include all the main roads touching every county seat and the principal market centers, as well as the cross-State roads which are parts of the interstate highways. From the system of 5000 miles the commission will designate approximately 2000 miles which will receive Federal aid and be built under State supervision in the next five years. This would be an average of about $1000 a mile for these roads.

SEBASTIAN HAS SLIGHT STROKE.

Former Mayor Falls at Fifth and Hill Streets but Soon Recovers.

C. E. Sebastian, former Mayor and recently defeated for the same office, suffered a slight stroke of paralysis at Fifth and Hill streets last evening, according to Dr. C. E. Jones, who attended him. With a companion Mr. Sebastian was walking along Hill street when he suddenly lost the use of the muscles of his left side and fell to the pavement. Dr. Jones, who was passing in a motor car, was called and gave emergency treatment on the street. Mr. Sebastian was able to go home later and will probably suffer no permanent effects, according to the physician.

Spirit of Christ in the War.

[Holy Cross Magazine:] An English paper tells us of a touching incident that occurred in the war zone not far from Peronne. A village, occupied by the Germans, fell into the hands of a British regiment on the retirement of the former. The Germans had reverently laid some forty or fifty of their dead comrades to rest in a plot of ground, marking the graves with wooden crosses. When the English arrived the spot had become overgrown with weeds and briars, and in a short time the little cemetery would have disappeared. But the "Tommies" set to work, cleared the place of weeds, marked out the graves with bricks from the ruined houses, and when all was done, erected a wooden cross six feet high, with the inscription, "Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us." Thus even amidst the horrors of war does the spirit of Christ find a place. May our own attitude towards those with whom we are at war reflect this same spirit!

GOETHALS SAW THE POINT.

[Dallas News:] R. J. McBride of Beaumont was awarded a million-dollar contract by the government for construction of wooden ships, and has gone to the large shipyards at Wilmington, Del., to obtain needed expert help. The fact that McBride's firm had never engaged in shipbuilding promised to militate against him getting a contract, and the lack of practical experience was mentioned during his conference with Gen. Goethals.

"Your firm has never constructed ships," said the general.

"No, sir."

"Well, you pressed the government's representative.

"General, you built the Panama Canal," replied McBride.

"So they say," was the answer.

"Did you ever build a canal before?"

Gen. Goethals saw the point.

British Use Eye Shield.

[Kansas City Star:] The British army has adopted a new chain visor to protect the eyes of the soldiers. The visor fastens to the soldiers' steel helmet and forms a curtain of steel in front of the eyes. According to experts the soldier can see perfectly through the meshes of steel.

The number of cases of blindness have been so numerous that some sort of protection became necessary. It has been declared that the visors will prevent three-fourths of these blinding wounds. The chain visor will not stop a bullet, but it will deflect the myriad bits of stone, gravel and wood that are thrown by exploding shells or machine gun streams.

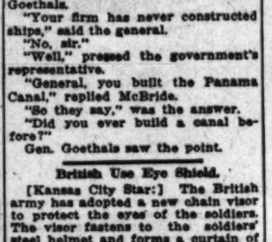
Thus far the British are the only fighting force to adopt the visor. It is expected that by midsummer all of the British soldiers on field duty will be equipped with it.

Bible Readers and the War.

The war development in Western Asia, says the Montreal Gazette, will revive knowledge of places that figured in some of the earliest history of the world. Airmen have been dropping bombs on Beersheba, where Abraham ranked himself among the foresters by planting a tree, and whose people were later denounced by the prophet Amos. Near by is Hebron, where, also, Abraham was a sojourner, as were Isaac, his son, and Jacob, who gave his name to a people. To the westward is Gaza, a great city of the Philistines, which sold Hebrew slaves to Edom, and for a time held Samson as a prisoner, till, lifting the gates of the place from their fastenings, he went off with them, casting them on the Mt. Muntar, before Hebron. The further progress of the campaign will be interesting to Bible as well as newspaper readers.

Overeating not the Scot's Sin.

[London Chronicle:] A northern writer finds a grievance in the fact that the exhortations to eat less are addressed indiscriminately to the whole of Great Britain. His patriotic contention is that at no time have the Scots eaten too much. He holds that nearly all of the overeating has taken place in England, and that the heaviest eaters of all are the inhabitants of Yorkshire and Lancashire. One of his remarks is that a Scotsman's dinner is an occurrence, while that of an Englishman is an event.



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At Huntington Lake Lodge.

Three officials of the Pacific Light and Power Corporation are taking a brief respite from work, and are enjoying the delights of hunting and fishing at Huntington Lake Lodge. They are A. W. Myers, F. C. Parmelee and John B. Lawson.

Entertain for Bride-elect.

In honor of Miss Pansy Remington, whose marriage to Riley B. Warne of La Habra is to take place next month, Mrs. Glen Evans of Compton entertained with a surprise party at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Willhite, in Fullerton. Fourteen guests were present, and all who came brought as a gift a dainty piece of hand-painted china. The evening was spent with games and music, and later refreshments were served. The hostess was assisted by her mother and her sisters, the Misses Grace and Amber Willhite, and by Miss Nina Vance. The invited guests were Miss Pansy Remington, Mrs. Maude Annin, Mrs. Grace Davis, Mrs. Julia McHenry, Mrs. Lottie Thurber, Mrs. Elsie Snyder, Miss Laura Yaeger, all of Fullerton. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Bessie Salveson, Miss Mae Fife and Miss Grace Smith of Brea, Miss Geraldine McCombs of Los Angeles and Mrs. Edith Tyler of East Highlands.

To Visit in Canada.

Mrs. George A. Ralphs and her daughter, Miss Annabel Ralphs, who have been spending the spring months at Santa Monica since leasing their Hollywood home for the summer, are planning on a trip to Canada for the summer months, and to visit in the neighborhood of Banff and Lake Louise. Mrs. Ralph's son, Albert, has joined the Coast Artillery, and has gone north for training before being called to active service.

Honeymooners in Yosemite.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Cooper, whose marriage was a recent event, are now at Yosemite on their honeymoon. The couple refused to tell anxious friends just where their wedding trip would take them, and they are still very reticent as to where they will go next and when they will return. Mrs. Cooper was Miss Mary Spalding, a favorite in social circles here.

Motor to Mission Inn.

J. Robert Crouse, who has the distinction of being the man to suggest the electrical lighting of the Statue of Liberty, entertained a motor party at Mission Inn last week. Mr. Crouse is visiting California with his brother-in-law, Benjamin Siddall, a corporation lawyer of Cleveland, O.

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"STOP THIEF!" TO PLAY.

NEW FACE CARD TO APPEAR IN "WITHIN THE LAW."

By Grace Kingsley.

Just what the regular playwrights will do if the actors continue to insist on writing their own plays is hard to imagine. They'll probably have to take in cooking or something.

Now it's Edward Arden, noted actor appearing at the Orpheum, who is writing his own vaudeville playlet for next year. Later he expects to expand this playlet into a three-act play. Concerning the play he will give out no details, however, except that it has a surprise finish like his present sketch. And it also has a plentiful sprinkling of humor according to Mr. Arden's own expert opinion.

Speaking about writing, Arden, who chanced to be in a reminiscent mood yesterday, told about his first experience as a newspaper "cub" reporter.

"I was just starting work on father's paper in St. Louis. John Kelly was then boss of Tammany in New York, and the national convention was being held in our city. Father told me he didn't believe I'd ever make a newspaper man, but if I wanted to I could try to get a statement out of Kelly as to his ideas about how the convention would turn. I approached John Kelly, who stood six feet in his stocking feet and was correspondingly impressive in every way. He looked once at my four feet five, took stock of my very obvious seventeen years, and dismissed me with one brief adjuration as to where to go and turned his back on me. I fled. Father said, 'I told you so'—also that any real reporter would have stuck to Mr. Kelly, inquiring humorously whether he had really heard aright, or whether Mr. Kelly would not recommend the best road. After which I went into the theatrical business."

Wallace to Wax Eloquent.

Ramsay Wallace, at the Morosco, is to address the Drama League next Friday. The subject on which he will wax eloquent is "Aims and Development of the Drama."

Kenney's New One.

Burt Kenney, making a big hit at the Orpheum this week, with his black-face act, takes all his "business" and sayings from real negroes in his own home town of New Albany, Ind. He spends all his vacations there, and pretty nearly every evening he goes down to a queer old corner grocery store run by a darky in the colored people's section of the city.

Kenney tried out a new joke at the Orpheum last night, founded on a saying he heard a colored chauffeur get off, the other day.

"I was talking to the chauffeur, and asked him about another colored chauffeur. 'Pshaw, man!' he exclaimed, 'he ain't got nothin' but a one-cilandah brahn. No, suh; if dat one cilandah ebber stops hittin' dat dahkey will shuh bust his spark plug and pass right away.'"

Forehanded Note.

"Stop thief!" is a possibility at the Morosco within the next few weeks. Already Sue McManamy, who will play the bride, in a spirit of preparedness is planning her white satin dress and orange wreath. As Bertha Mann points out, this is taking rather an unfair advantage of all the other girls, professional and nonprofessional, as it will give the eligible young men about town a chance to see just how sweet Sue will look in a wedding gown, and will make all the other brides look like a ten-season chorus girl.

Ordynski with Metropolitan.

Word comes from the New York Rialto that Richard Ordynski, as announced in this column several months ago, is about to undertake his preparatory duties in supervising the artistic side of grand opera productions at the Metropolitan next season, as the same is expressed in stage settings, lighting and costuming.

Original is Coming.

De Witt C. Jennings, who created the role of Inspector Burke in the original New York production of "Within the Law," which starred Jane Cowl, has been engaged for said role in the Morosco production of that play, which will follow "Sauce for the Goose."

Morosco's Kindness.

Oliver Morosco, it would appear, is sometimes great on the practice of the right-and-left-hand exercise as recommended in the scriptures.

Howard Scott, at least, cannot say too much in this praise. At the end of Scott's long terms in three New York hospitals, he found his funds much decreased. The doctors recommended California, and Oliver Morosco it was who, when he heard through a third party of the necessity for the actor to come West, paid all the expenses of the trip.

Billie Gets Meighan.

Thomas Meighan has been chosen as leading man to appear opposite Billie Burke in her first Famous Players-Lasky picture, entitled "The Mysterious Miss Terry."

First Aid Note.

W. Sistrom, special representative of President Carl Laemmle of the Universal, arrived from New York this week to assist the head of the company in matters pertaining to contemplated improvements at the big picture plant, and also to give the heads of the various departments and the directors the benefit of his intimate knowledge of the business which he has gained after many years as a motion-picture man.

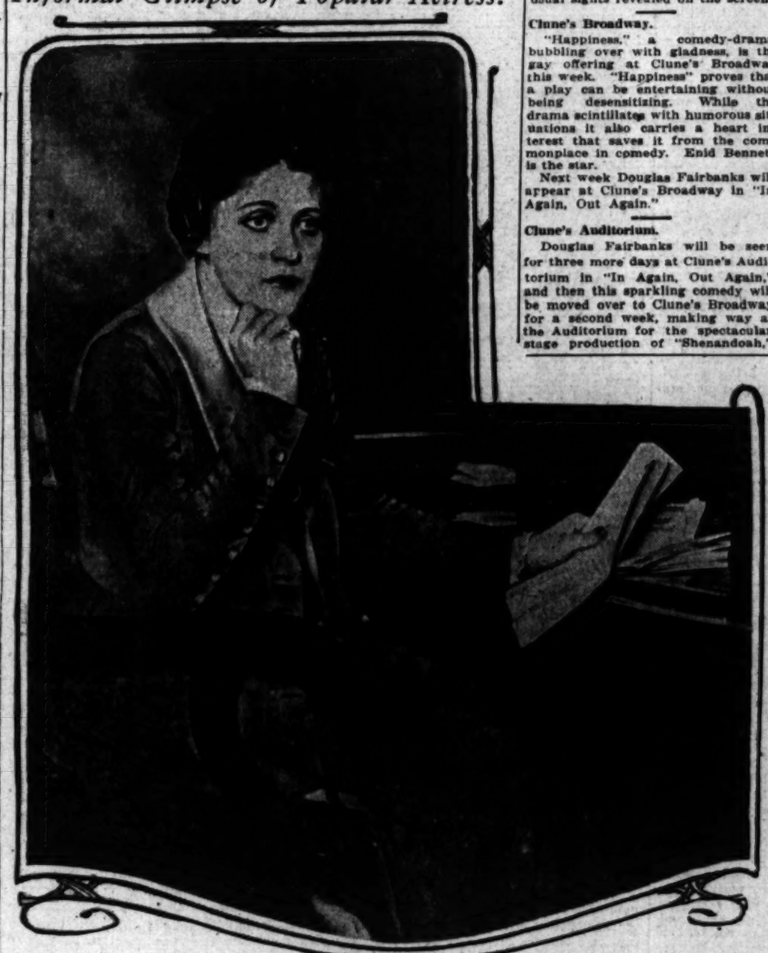
Linder's Health Improved.

Admirers of Max Linder, Essanay star, will be pleased to learn the comedian is greatly improved in health, and will shortly resume work at the Culver City plant.

The "Khaki Woman's" Service.

[Montreal Star:] The "khaki woman" was something of a shock to the British public at first, but her training and discipline have been justified. When the Zeppelins first attacked London, the women's ambulance was the first on the scene to remove the dead and the injured. The corps rendered sterling service at the time of the East End explosion, and even now every Sunday they take the children who are suffering from shock into the country in the hope of restoring their shattered nerves.

Informal Glimpse of Popular Actress.



Miss Chatterton is a busy lady.

The clever star of "Come Out of the Kitchen" taking a few minutes between the matinee and evening performance yesterday at the Mason, to answer some letters before leaving the theater, at the old spinet desk that is one of the "props" of the play.

Improvement.

SHOW WORLD REVIEW.

BETTER AND BRIGHTER PLAYS BRINGING JOY.

Simplicity, the badge of beauty and the essential element of all true art, seems at last to be taking hold of the minds of the theatergoing public and of the producers, both in legitimate and silent drama. True, people enjoy a good melodrama now and then, but they are sick of hearing the scene-eating villain hiss "damn!" every time the plot thickens and they no longer require that comedy shall be vulgar.

As evidence of the fact that the stage is really being "uplifted" and that people are beginning to appreciate the fine, the clean and the loftily simple in Thespian art, witness many of the plays recently presented in Los Angeles, including the present week's offerings, "Come Out of the Kitchen" and "The Snow Queen."

As for the Morosco play, well, genuine comedy can never be either vulgar or involved. Comedy only pretends to be involved, but the audience knows all the time that it isn't, hence the laughter.

Vaudeville, too, is revealing some extraordinary good bills this week, and the Burbank's "Photoville" idea promises to be a winner.

In the local picture world this week there are dozens of good plays dealing with a variety of themes, and among the cinema stars to be seen are Douglas Fairbanks, Louise Fazenda, Earle Williams, "Mary Sunshine, Blanche Sweet, Dorothy Phillips, Lon Chaney, William Stowell, Wallace Reid, George Walsh, Myrtle Stedman, Lionel Barrymore and many others.

Mason.

Perhaps, after all, New York does know a good play when it sees one. At any rate Los Angeles has indorsed New York's verdict concerning "Come Out of the Kitchen," in which charming Ruth Chatterton has been playing to capacity houses at the Mason this week. Seats for the second week's engagement of the dainty actress go on sale this morning, and, if the enthusiasm with which she has so far been received may be taken as a criterion, the engagement as a whole will establish a record for the season at the Mason.

Morosco.

There are to be but five more performances of the celebrated comedy, "Sauce for the Goose," at the Morosco Theater; it is proving one of the biggest successes of the season. Beginning next Sunday the Morosco company will offer a production of "Within the Law," one of the most famous melodramatic comedies ever written.

Majestic.

Declared by critics to be one of the most appealing productions of childhood ever presented in Los Angeles, "The Snow Queen," at the Majestic this week, is being attended by hundreds of grown-ups as well as children, at every performance. Saturday afternoon will be the children's matinee for this fairy tale production, and the last performance will be given Saturday night.

Kolb and Dill will make their appearance in "The High Cost of Loving" Sunday night.

Orpheum.

Beginning Monday the Orpheum will offer its patrons a complete new bill, the headliners being Hermine Shone and company in an unusual fantasy called "Mary Ann." Miss Cunningham will offer a series of new songs composed exclusively for her by Jean Haves. Next on the bill come the Berrens in a musical novelty, followed by the Chung Hwa Comedy Four, a Chinese quartette of singers and comedians. Other features are Jane Courthope and company in a playlet called "Our Family," and Ethel MacDonough, a beautiful Boston girl who is promised to sing well "in a new and fetching way;" the Barty girls, who are said to have the ability and talent of their ancestors, and Wright and Dietrich, featured in an unusual song and patter act. A special film, called, "Los Angeles to Yosemite," will be added to the other film attraction.

Burbank.

"Photoville" is playing to crowded houses at the Burbank this week, and indications point to this new form of entertainment becoming as popular as any kind of amusement in Los Angeles. The big picture this week is "Whose Wife?" starring Gail Kane, and excellent vaudeville acts are offered by singers, comedians and athletes. An entirely new bill will be seen at the Burbank Monday, the feature picture being "High Play," starring William Russell. There will also be five good vaudeville acts.

Pantages.

If none of the other Pantages acts meets with your favor this week, John P. Wade and company in "The Coral Cameo" will sufficiently compensate you for time and money expended by a visit to that vaudeville theater. Wade's characterization of a southern darkey is said to be the best in that line ever in vaudeville. Francis Renault, the Parisian Fashion Plate, has a clever act of its kind, while Norworth, Well and Moore offer a budget of nonsense in "The Follies of 1917." Bernard and Myers offer a song-and-talk act. Dolly Castle entertains with two baby elephants and the programme is closed by an interesting girl act, called "The Smart Shop."

Hippodrome.

A glance over the list of attractions billed for the Hippodrome next week assures the vaudeville fan of an excellent entertainment. Opening the programme Dave Wood's animal actors will present "An Unfaithful Wife," said to be one of the cleverest features of its kind in the vaudeville world. John P. Reed is a blackface comedian whose only mission in life is to make people laugh. Others on the bill are Whitney's Operatic Dolls, in a singing novelty with comedy; De Reine and Flores, Spanish singers and dancers; Nimz and Schultz, a pair of vagabonds who are not ashamed of the fact; Ernest Dupile sings his own songs—and makes them popular and the Three Falcons are a trio of aerial gymnasts.

Trinity Auditorium.

There's a big picture on at Trinity Auditorium for the week beginning Monday. At least it has been called a "big picture" by the critics who saw the preview last Tuesday night. It is "The Submarine Eye" and is said to deal in a most fascinating manner with the submarine problem. The photoplay features Barbara Tennant and Chester Barnett.

The Williamson brothers, who made "The Submarine Eye" are already famous for their undersea photography in "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea" and another feature. The new picture treats of the wonders of the sea from a new angle. It is a type of play that will make a particular appeal at the present time, owing to the fact that so much attention is naturally centered now on submarine activities.

The audience of prominent local people who witnessed the preview Tuesday evening were unanimous in their praise of the beautiful and unusual sights revealed on the screen.

Clune's Broadway.

"Happiness," a comedy-drama, bubbling over with gladness, is the gay offering at Clune's Broadway this week. "Happiness" proves that a play can be entertaining without being desensitizing. While the drama scintillates with humorous situations it also carries a heart interest that saves it from the commonplace in comedy. Enid Bennett is the star.

Next week Douglas Fairbanks will appear at Clune's Broadway in "In Again, Out Again."

Clune's Auditorium.

Douglas Fairbanks will be seen for three more days at Clune's Auditorium in "In Again, Out Again," and then this sparkling comedy will be moved over to Clune's Broadway for a second week, making way at the Auditorium for the spectacular stage production of "Shenandoah."

Garrick.

The lights and shadows of life are given a similarity to the real that is above the average screen portrayal in "The Prison Without Walls," in which Wallace Reid and Myrtle Stedman are starring at the Garrick this week.

As the headliner of next week's bill the Garrick management announces Vivian Martin in "The Spirit of Romance."

Tally's Broadway.

"Apartment 29," at Tally's Broadway this week is proving the most successful production in which Earle Williams has ever appeared. The novelty of the story, also, has been largely responsible for the record crowds that are attending the theater.

The attraction selected by Mr. Tally for next week is "Within the Law," starring Alice Joyce and Harry Mory.

Woodley.

With Louise Fazenda in the leading role, "Her Torpedoed Love" is the big scream at Woodley's Theater this week. For next week the Woodley management promises a Sennett-Keystone feature called "A Royal Rogue," with Juanita Hansen. Bessie Love will be seen in "Cheerful Givers." A Woodley travelette, being pictures of a trip across British India, will be shown, beside the "Special."

Alhambra.

Flora Finch, the skinny funny woman who formerly played opposite John Bunny, now has her own company and is producing two-reel burlesques on famous plays and photodramas. The first one of these unique pictures, called "Guess What?" will be shown at the Alhambra Theater, starting Sunday. An equally big feature on next week's programme at the Alhambra will be "The Highway of Hope," a Paramount production starring Kathlyn Williams and House Peters.

This week it is Blanche Sweet in "The Tides of Barnegat."

Quinn's Rialto.

With only three more days left before the grand opening of Quinn's Rialto Theater, work is being rushed at a twenty-four-hour-a-day speed on the new building. The mammoth pipe organ will be installed by tomorrow night, and Joseph Carl Briel, musical director, will call rehearsals of the orchestra on the score written by himself for the opening photodrama, "The Garden of Allah," which will star Helen Ware and Thomas Santschi.

Miller's.

Theda Bara comes to Miller's again next week in a picturization of Haggard's famous novel, "Jess," entitled "Heart and Soul." Supporting the star will be Harry Hilliard, Claire Whitney, Walter Law, John Webb Dillion, Alice Gale, Glen White and other prominent Fox players.

For the rest of this week the picture at Miller's is "The Book Agent," featuring George Walsh, the athletic star.

Superba.

In "The Flashlight," a fascinating photodrama, in which Dorothy Phillips is starring with Lon Chaney and William Stowell at the Superba this week, picture lovers are enjoying a story of the untrammeled outdoors, involving a murder mystery that is shrouded in exasperating uncertainty until the last scene has been projected.

Starting Sunday Superba patrons will be entertained by a story called "Southern Justice," in which Myrtle Gonzalez plays the leading role.

Palace.

"Sunshine and Gold" is another wonder picture in which Marie Osborne, "the Baby Bernhardt," is entertaining fine houses at the Palace this week.

For next week's entertainment the Palace management has obtained a patriotic drama called "Yankee Pluck," in which Ethel Clayton and Montagu Love will play the principal roles.

Symphony.

The daring operations of shrewd crooks made up the chief interest of "The Millionaire's Double," a photoplay in which Lionel Barrymore is starring at the Symphony this week.

Next week's attraction at the Symphony will be Emmy Wehlen in a play of circumstance called "Sowers and Reapers."

MUSICAL NOTES.

Musicianly finish and a pretty and well-placed voice, particularly adapted to the type of programme she gave, made the recital of Mrs. Leo I. Stadden last Monday evening at Symphony Hall a very enjoyable affair. This was the presentation recital for the singer, a pupil of J. Benson Starr.

Mrs. Stadden's voice is a high soprano, pleasing in its sweetness. In the main, the singer's selections were of a type to show the characteristics of her voice to very especial advantage. The first number, "Care Selve," by Handel, revealed the round fulness of her tone in particular. She handled effectively the difficulties of "Invocation to Eros," by Kursteiner. In such songs as "When Celia Sings" (Moir) and "Bendemeer's Stream" she seemed very much at home.

Miss Lucile Ford evinced the carefully-disciplined art of the good accompanist; her tone is exceedingly pretty.

Community Concert.

Folk songs and patriotic music will provide opportunity for the public to help further the cause of community music at a concert to be given under the direction of Edward Lebegott this afternoon at Hamburger's auditorium.

An organ prelude will be played by Edith Coburn, who will also accompany the chorus at the same instrument. Helene Mountain, violinist, will play a "Romance" by Krinald and "Adoration" by Dorowski, accompanied on the piano by Irene Frederickson. Charlotte Audrey of Oakland will sing several ballads.

The public is invited to attend the Monday and Thursday programmes. There is no charge, it is announced.

Notes and Notations.

Mercedes Ciesielska, gifted young singer, presented a group of songs in a delightful way before the Catholic Woman's Club at its meeting yesterday afternoon at Columbus Auditorium. Among her selections were "Slazy" ("Tears") by Gretchaninoff and "Flowers of Lowes" by Borodine. Miss Ciesielska sang the composition by Gretchaninoff in the original Russian, and Borodine's song in English.

Nell Lockwood, contralto, will present her Indian costume programme, representing eight tribal songs, at Normal School next Monday. This recital is an event of the Artist Course of the year at the school.

WOMEN'S WORK. WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY EMILY SQUIER.

Abas with slimy sex stories and villainous vampire reels! Women's clubs are demanding that they go, and, to prove it, a committee of women, consisting of representatives from every Southern California club, hailed Isadore Bernstein into their midst at their Monday meeting and heard him discuss "Clean Pictures for the Clean Minded."

Mr. Bernstein contended that the better class of producers are anxious to give the public a higher class of picture, and that it lies with the women to make the demand for clean films.

Wilshire Emergency Club.

The final meeting of the Wilshire Emergency Club will be held this afternoon at Kramer's Studio, No. 1500 South Figueroa street. Whist, auction bridge and five hundred will be played, and the entire proceeds will be given to the Maternity Cottage.

Mrs. Barker Van Zandt is president of the organization and Mrs. John G. Oldham will be the chairman for the afternoon. The hostesses will be Mmes. Frank Dick, N. Morrill, Minnie Leonard, Adele Lindenbaum, Sylvester Weaver and Maurette Foss.

No Bible Study Class.

Mrs. W. S. Bartlett of the Ebell Club, who conducts the Bible study class, will not hold the class tomorrow afternoon, as she has gone to Virginia with her daughter, Mrs. James Henry. The meeting was to have been the final of the series, so the work will not be taken up again until fall.

Evansville (Ind.) Society.

The Evansville (Ind.) Society will meet at The Times Building this evening at 8 o'clock. All former residents of Indiana are invited. The programme will consist of vocal numbers by Miss Pauline Dreusike, a solo by Miss Carmelita Orsatti and recitations by Mrs. M. B. Meek. Dancing and cards will follow.

Benefit Performance.

The Custer-avenue P.-T.A. will give an entertainment tomorrow evening at the Temple-street school auditorium, the proceeds to be devoted to emergency work. A splendid programme will be given by the Boy's Glee Club of Polytechnic High School, Ruth May Shaffner, pianist; Gertrude Van Osten, soprano; Ella Anderson and Glen Kunkel, readers, and violin solos and a tumbling act by Mr. Dougherty's gymnasium club. Mrs. P. L. Shaffner, president, has charge of the programme.

Teachers' Club Election.

The result of the election for officers of the Los Angeles City Teachers' Club follows:

President, Miss Wilhelmina Van de Goorberg; first vice-president, Miss Daisy Morris; second vice-president, Miss Maud Bland; recording secretary, Miss Elizabeth Nourse; membership secretary, Miss Everena Mayne; financial secretary, Miss Ella Morrison; treasurer, Miss Eda Schlicher; Board of Education member, Miss Edyth Thomas.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) The loan of $100,000,000 to Russia had an extremely favorable effect on the financial relations between the two countries, as evinced in Wall street, where extraordinary improvement in stock market conditions were witnessed. The consensus of opinion was that the foreign situation had become decidedly better. United States Steel reached its highest quotation of the year, and dealings recalled "boom" days in this security. Bonds shared in the upswing, although international issues were irregular.

THEN COMES PEACE.

Predictions in the Reichstag are that Germany will become a republic at an early date. With the Kaiser out of the way and a free people running affairs for themselves, the dove of peace would not long delay spreading her white wings over the world.

COURTESY PAYS.

A young man in Los Angeles called a number over the telephone, fell in love with the operator's voice, went to see her, found her face as fascinating as her voice—and now the two are on their honeymoon in Arizona. It pays to be courteous to a customer, even before one knows who his customer is.

HINT TO HOUSEWIVES.

Pasadena is planning for a municipal kitchen where housewives will be instructed in the art of cooking. Of course, the man who either loves or fears his wife will never dream of suggesting to his spouse that she take a course at this new culinary academy, but it is to be hoped that many sensible housewives who really love their husbands will take advantage of the instructions.

THE REASON.

Someone has written a prose poem extolling the beauty of the nasturtium and bemoaning the fact that while all other flowers have received their share of poetic attention no poet has ever immortalized the nasturtium in rhyme. We imagine it is because, in the first place, no poet has ever been able to find a word to rhyme with nasturtium, and in the second place—well, that's reason enough in the first place.

GLADSTONE AN OPTIMIST.

Gladstone was an optimist whose faith in his race, his country and his age may well be copied by Americans at the present time. His last public utterance was before a magnificent company in England. He said: "Above all things, men and women, believe me, the world grows better from century to century, because God reigns supreme from generation to generation. Let pessimism be absent from our minds and let optimism throw its glory over all our souls and all of our lives henceforth and forever."

GENUINE PATRIOTISM.

A Long Beach minister declares that clergymen do not desire to be classed in the ranks of weaklings and slackers and says that every preacher who is not a ninny or a mollycoddle should vigorously protest against the exemption by the conscription bill of clergymen and theological students. This man's name is O. H. L. Mason and he is pastor of the Long Beach Calvary Presbyterian Church. There may be some doubt as to the patriotism of Rev. I. F. Tanner; but the stand taken by Mason leaves no shadow of doubt in the people's minds concerning his attitude toward the government of these United States.

WHY NOT?

If the plans of the Los Angeles Defense Council carry, the conscription of unemployed labor will be urged upon Congress by the State Council of Defense. The local council passed resolutions urging Congress to force the unemployed of the country to go to work. Why should there ever be a class of men, either rich or poor, who are unemployed? The government should not allow such a condition to exist in times of peace, much less during a national crisis like this when the services of every unit of society should be utilized either in the army, factory or field. The term "slacker" should be applied not only to those who refuse to go to war but to every man who attempts to shirk his share of any other work which must be done.

HOPEFUL.

A hopeful sign, not that the war will be ended soon, but that when this war is over all war will be ended forever, is seen in a meeting recently held in London under the auspices of the League of Nations Society. At that meeting Viscount Bryce declared that this war would indeed be a stupendous calamity unless it suggested a means of escape from future slaughter by changing the hearts of the people of the world. The resolution offered by Gen. Smuts was to the effect that it is expedient in the interest of mankind that some machinery should be set up after the present war for the maintenance of international right and general peace. "This meeting," read the resolution, "welcomes the suggestion put forward for this purpose by the President of the United States and other influential Americans." In view of present world conditions it is impossible to say what conditions might have prevailed today if the relationships of the various governments had been different from what they were prior to the war, but it seems safe to say that had the international machinery, spoken of in the resolution, been in smooth running order in 1914 this terrible conflict might have been avoided.

CHANCELLOR HOLLWEG AND THE HOHENZOLLERN SECRET.

The German Chancellor's long-awaited speech in the Reichstag is practically an announcement to the German nation that Germany's aims and ambitions in this war are a Hohenzollern secret; that it would not be wise, politic or in any way desirable to inform the German people exactly what they are fighting for.

"I got a secret but I ain't a-going to tell," seems to be the interpretation of that sentence. "While appreciating the passionate desire of all classes to know the government's views, I will not permit myself to be swayed by pressure from any source . . . the best interest of the nation demands the reticence which I have imposed upon myself in the face of the continuous clamor since December, 1915 . . . " which the Chancellor so unctuously uttered day before yesterday.

"I thoroughly and fully understand the passionate interest of the people in the war aims and peace conditions," he said, but insisted that they could not be trusted with the secret. Theirs not to reason why, theirs but to do or die. Nevertheless he goes on to say, "I am in the hands of my people, whom alone I serve, all of whose sons are fighting for the nation, are firmly ranged around the Kaiser, whom they trust and who trusts them."

Exactly. But that mutual trust seems to lack reciprocity. The Kaiser trusts them to go on fighting blindly, without knowledge, starving, bleeding, dying, but he does not feel that they can safely be trusted to know what they are starving, bleeding and dying to attain. He and his government alone can be trusted with the great secret.

One can imagine how we would feel in this country if any administration tried to hand our democracy that line of talk after two years of "continuous clamor" for information. The Chancellor admits that neither the Conservatives nor the Radicals are to be admitted to the great secret, although both parties are equally insistent upon their demands for knowledge.

As ex-President Taft said last week, we too, are prepared to trust the German people but the whole world distrusts the Hohenzollerns, and if the Kaiser and his line were deposed from authority, the world would have peace within a week. That is the main part of the secret which cannot safely be divulged to the German people. It would be most unsatisfactory for them to know any such thing. The choice would be altogether too simple; the Kaiser and continued warfare, or peace and democracy! Another year in the trenches, with defeat for their portion, or a return to their homes now with every encouragement to restore their happiness and that of the world and restore their country's credit, industries, and well-being. Yes, the German government may well hang on to its secret, so that the Hohenzollerns may wax proud that their subjects stand ready to die for them until the bitter end.

And that end will be very bitter, replete to the brim with bitterness the longer it is delayed.

What a mighty opportunity the Hohenzollern dynasty now has to sacrifice itself and its ambitions for the country it professes to love! If the Kaiser should abdicate at this time, with grace and dignity, before his power is quite broken, he might go down to posterity as a monarchical hero. Knowing his faith in his divine might, his personal sacrifice would be all the greater. There is such a subtle difference between strength of will and mere stubbornness. Resignation often takes the greater courage; self-humiliation the greater love.

But what is this dread secret, which the German government cannot trust the German people to know? It is this—that Hohenzollern vanity cannot be sacrificed, even to save the German nation. No matter in what glib phrases the information were couched, one can well understand why the Chancellor will not permit himself to be swayed into telling it by pressure from any source.

Isn't it pitiful that a whole world should be thrown into chaos and destruction to appease the consuming vanity of a single royal house? That souls by the million should be sent to eternity because one man believes in his divine right to rule? And the Kaiser believes in self-sacrifice. In a score of brave speeches he has told the German people how their duty to and love for their country can best be expressed in sacrifice.

If the German people are denied participation in this great secret of the aims and ambitions of "Germany," the rest of the world knows it, to its misery!

A STRIKE FAILURE.

The cooks in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York had a Gompers union, which prohibited its members from cooking a chop or mixing a salad where any scab of a non-member was permitted to work. The proprietor of the Waldorf provided an understudy for each cook, and paid him a modest stipend to study cook books while he humbly hoped that something would happen to his principal. The cooks, after enduring this for some months, were inspired by sagacious labor leaders to rebel, and to order the Waldorf-Astoria leaders to discharge the understudies. On this being refused, the culinary artists marched out, singing:

"You may live without poetry, music and art,
You may live without conscience, you may live without heart,
You may live without love, you may live without books,
But civilized man cannot live without cooks.

"He may live without books; what is knowledge but grieving?
He may live without hope; what is hope but deceiving?
He may live without love; what is passion but pining?
But where is the man who can live without dining?"

But all in vain was the strike of outraged labor against capitalistic oppression. When the cooks went out the understudies gleefully moved in, and not a chicken was burned, not a steak was underdone, not a potato was insufficiently boiled during the transition. While the guests enjoyed their ten-course dinners in ignorance of the strike, the manager of the Waldorf-Astoria promoted the understudies and told the strikers they could never come back but might go, individually and collectively, to: "A place underground where can be found A good hot fire the year around."

"Business as Usual."

CREATING A NATION OF NATIONS.

No meeting promising more beneficent results to the world was ever held than that of the League of Nations Society in London on Monday last which was presided over by Viscount Bryce and attended by the Archbishop of Canterbury, Gen. Smuts, Baron Buckmaster, Lord Hugh Cecil, Viscount Halcourt and 1200 representative men, including clergymen and members of the houses of Lords and Commons.

Lord Buckmaster said that unless Germany was included in a world league for peace, it would be a league against Germany and that would be to invoke not peace but unending darkness.

The first thing to remember in the formation of a peace league will be to forget that there ever was a war. In the preliminary steps for the formation of the league, each nation great and small, from Honduras with 600,000 people to the British Empire with 437,000,000 people should be invited to become a signatory and to send a representative to a preliminary world conference.

This preliminary conference should provide for a general conference to which all nations should be invited to send delegates upon a basis both of nationality and population. This general conference should create (1) a world legislature, meeting annually; (2) an International Council of Conciliation; (3) an International Court of Justice; (4) an International Military and Naval Police.

The world legislature would enact a code of international law.

No nation should be forced to join this league of peace, but a nation not joining it should not be entitled to share in its benefits.

The principal object of a Peace League is the establishment of a Supreme Court with power to enforce its decrees. The plan suggested at the London meeting presided over by Viscount Bryce was well enough as far as it went, but like the plan suggested by the second Hague conference for a Court of Arbitral Justice it does not go far enough, in that it does not give the Court of Nations power to enforce its judgments. The signatories to the convention are not even to bind themselves to use the court. Like existing institutions at The Hague, the court would be there to use or not as the nations should see fit.

It might be well to model the Legislature of Nations upon the basis of our Congress—an upper and a lower house with one representative for each nation in the upper house and representation apportioned to population in the lower house, with a requirement of a two-thirds vote in each house for the enactment or repeal of a law. If it were required also that two thirds of the members of the Supreme Court were needed to render a decision, the machinery for the government of the Nation of Nations would be as nearly perfect as human ingenuity could make it.

In order to make a League of Nations effective those who enter into it should be required to obligate themselves to use the institutions they create and the league should be amply empowered to use its military power against any member which should go to war in violation of its agreement.

The one place where there might be a difficulty in the operations of a Court of Nations is that disputes involving only conflicts of political policy cannot be composed in a court of law or equity. "These," says Theodore Marburg "are the really acute and dangerous disputes most likely to lead to war. Recognizing these limitations of a true court, the league plans to set up another body to deal with non-justiciable questions, namely, a Council of Conciliation. It is not considered practicable to make the decisions of that body binding either—if indeed it will even proceed to a recommendation in all cases. As regards purely justiciable questions, among the English publicists studying this problem there is a group who believe that, under a League of Nations, the judgments of a true court dealing with such questions ought to be binding. The present programme of the League to Enforce Peace does not provide for this."

That it should provide for it is the opinion of The Times as well as provide for enforcing the decisions of the Council of Conciliation on non-justiciable questions.

The events of the past few years have subjected to a severe strain our estimate of what may be expected of men and nations in our day of supposed enlightenment and humanity. In the breasts of many the chord of confidence has snapped. There has been treachery and disregard of honor and a throwing down of chivalry. The acts committed in the great war were simply unbelievable before the event. If the people so gifted and endowed as the German people can be tricked by their ruling class into acts so unworthy; if the native virtues and humane qualities which characterize them can be overborne in passionate hate and turned by Hohenzollern into folly and flaming madness, can we count upon any people to hold true to the higher ideals of life?

Yet peace must come some time even if it shall be a peace of exhaustion and starvation, and when it comes the time will be opportune for the creation of a Peace League, a Nation of Nations upon a basis that shall hereafter make war utterly impossible. In the duty of creating that Nation of Nations it will be the privilege of the United States to take a foremost part.

PETTICOAT INFLUENCES IN BERLIN.

[London Saturday Journal:] From time to time one hears of petticoat influences behind the scenes in the British army—as, for instance, that much discussed case from Wales. But even the discipline of the Prussian military system is amenable to feminine fascinations.

People in Hunland are talking with bated breath of the curious way in which certain crack German regiments are being kept back from the western front. You may remember that the Prussian guards, the cream of the Kaiser's army, had a terrible mauling during the Somme battle. Well, certain battalions—whose officers are the darlings of Berlin's smart society—have been found safe quarters near the Swiss frontier.

And censorious Berliners hint quite freely that the fact is attributable to petticoat influence on War Office pickelhaubes.

America Now in "League to Enforce Peace"

[American Review of Reviews:] The United States has joined a powerful league of nations whose object is to enforce peace. It is reasonable to hope that the end of the present world war is nearer in consequence of the decision taken by Congress on April 6, following the advice given to the two assembled houses by President Wilson four days earlier. Whether or not the existing war is to be shortened by our assumption of the status of belligerency, it is fairly certain that our own future peace, as well as that of all other leading nations, for a hundred years to come is much less likely to be disturbed. We have gone into this war to make the rule of reason respected, and to make the peace dream of long ages a working reality of the early future. This is the third great undertaking of our national history. It will tax all our best practical energies.

FOOL'S PARADISE.

[Philadelphia Record:] The Cologne Volkszeitung is still living in the Fool's Paradise of indemnities extorted from Germany's prostrate foes. "We are entitled to a thumping war indemnity," it observes, adding, with fine impartiality, "and we do not care who pays it. The European enemies of Germany will come out of the war too poor and the United States will have the bill to pay." What will be the sensation of the Volkszeitung if Germany shall be obliged to repudiate its war debt in order to pay an indemnity to the Allies?

REMARKABLE REMARKS.

[Compiled by the Independent.]

Lord Northcliffe: To pretend that the war can be won by the submarine is preposterous.

Eugene V. Debs: It is better to live for your country than to die for Rockefeller and Morgan.

Cornelius Vanderbilt: Huge armies have not saved Russia or France from being invaded.

Lord Curzon: The Germans will not succeed in starving England or her Allies into surrender.

Dr. Hahn, leader, Reichstag Conservatives: Germany's future is a future of battle and conquest.

Richard le Gallienne: Our immortal bodies seem but imperfectly tempered to bear the celestial pressure.

Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg: Woe to the statesman who does not recognize the signs of the times!

Herbert C. Hoover: The relief commission has only thirty vessels. It should have seventy to feed Belgium alone.

Premier Lloyd George: America—after great patience—decided it was no use to wave a neutral flag in the shark's teeth.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr.: It is regrettably true that there are capitalists who regard labor as their legitimate prey.

Lillian Russell: It may seem a bold and indelicate comparison but people who spend their time in ferreting out the business of other people are buzzards.

Leo Leovitch Tolstoy: I predict that when Germany attempts to invade Russia from the Baltic, Sweden will join Germany in an attempt to capture Petrograd.

Dr. Dernburg: We demand that where all give the same and the utmost, political injustice, social inequality and out of date castes be thrown overboard as quickly as possible.

Horatio Parker: The greeny delight which flows from our finest modern oboe is no more like the stolid scarifying squawks of the early Victorian instruments than strong brandy is like maraschino.

CHOATE ON ANGLO-SAXON AMITY.

Joseph H. Choate, who on Monday last journeyed on into the company of the immortals, had one peculiarity as an orator. In thirteen of his public addresses published in "Modern Eloquence" the interjections of "(Laughter)" are as numerous as those of "(Applause.)"

Among all of Mr. Choates's speeches none were richer, in "saving common sense" and in eloquence of thought as well as expression than his address on "Peace Between Nations," delivered at a banquet given in his honor by the Associated Chambers of Commerce, London, March 15, 1899. He said: "Peace between the United States and Great Britain is the first interest, not only of these two nations, but of the rest of the world together. . . . England is troubled, not about the open door, but about the people inside and behind the open door. Your rear-admiral has said that there is no such great difficulty in getting or holding the door open as there is in managing the people inside the door who have really no capacity to take care of themselves; but I have found that the people inside or behind the door which has been thrown open are not only capable of taking care of themselves, but nearly all the rest of mankind together. . . . I do not believe that England and America, although friends, will ever cease to be rivals in the future as we have been in the past. We on our part and you on yours will still press every advantage that we can fairly take, but it shall be a generous and a loyal rivalry, and all questions, disputes, controversies that may arise shall be settled by peaceful means, by negotiation, by arbitration, by any possible and every possible means except that of war. . . . The last armed conflict between England and the United States after three years of war ended by a sort of peterings-out process, and no question upon which either side had taken up arms was settled by means of war; showing that between brothers war is the worst possible means of settlings any controversy. During these years what tremendous questions we have had, what heated words, what threatened demonstrations on both sides, and yet while those questions were such as would inevitably have brought any other two nations into open and frequent conflict, they have all been arranged and adjusted between us without a resort to arms. . . . Peace is our paramount interest and it is also yours. America, our young republic, has had a great deal to do during the last hundred years; she has had to subdue a continent, and to convert the wilderness from the Atlantic to the Pacific into a smiling and healthy garden. . . . Our interests in commerce differ from those of England, not in kind, but in degree only. And it is certainly by a common purpose and a united voice that we can command peace everywhere for the mutual support of the commerce of the two countries. . . . We are almost one people. . . . Let our voices always be lifted together for the cause of human progress and the advance of civilization and law and order and peace and freedom—which are the wants of commerce all the world over—will prevail and the cause of humanity will be far advanced."

Our Fight.

[New York Herald:] France and Great Britain and all our Allies have been fighting our fight—fighting for us. It is recognition of the fact that we now must do our full part which prompts the nation-wide demand that American soldiers take their place at the earliest practical moment upon the battlefields of Europe.

Appeal of the Heroes.

[Portland Oregonian:] Wounded Russians cry aloud to their pacifist countrymen not to make peace until it has been shown that their sacrifices have not been in vain. The dead call also for the payment of the price of their lives. It is no time for the stay-at-homes to be preaching peace on any terms.

National Editorial Service.

THE SENATE IN WAR TIME.

[CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES]

BY ROLAND G. USHER.

Author of "Pan-Germanism" and "The Challenge of the Future."

THE recent rule passed by the Senate for the limitation of debate has called attention to what is perhaps the most significant and important function the Senate possesses, an ability thoroughly and completely to discuss all legislation proposed. There can scarcely be, in time of war, a more significant function than this for a legislative house as important as the Senate. It is necessary that the measures passed should be understood by Congress and by the country at large and the Senate can now perform a most useful and significant function by debating at some length the measures proposed and by explaining to the public the purpose of these measures and something in regard to their content before the measures themselves definitely become law.

In the House of Representatives debate is in practice so limited and so brief, the members have so little opportunity to speak with freedom, that anything like a real expression of the opinion of the House is difficult to obtain. In the Senate, on the other hand, some sort of a very loose practice in regard to the limitation of debate was clear in the first sessions, but in 1806 everything was intentionally omitted which in the least restricted the number of times and the length of time a member might speak. The general feeling was that the artificial ending of debate imposed a serious limit on the extent and value of the deliberation for which the debate itself ought to stand. The Senate, therefore, consciously adopted the principle of absolutely unrestricted expression of opinion as so admirable and desirable in itself as to outweigh all evils which its abuse made possible. The results have seemed for a century and more highly significant and important; and it was for this reason that all attempts to introduce the closure failed, and that the rule recently adopted is in effect no practical limitation upon a debate which the majority of the Senate wishes to continue. It is intended only to correct the worst abuse, and, indeed, is so drawn that the abuse must be exceedingly patent and prolonged before the rule will be invoked.

It is perhaps fortunate that at just this juncture the attention of the public should have been called to the ability of the Senate to discuss fully all measures brought before it and to realize that the Senate proposes even at some cost to protect that entire freedom of discussion. The Senate should become in war time a forum from which information is given to the people of what is to be done on significant subjects upon which the co-operation of the nation is essential.

It is perhaps wise to reiterate at this time a fact only too well known and not quite so creditable either to the country or to the Senators. One of the most prominent functions which Senators discharge is known as the courtesy of the Senate and has reference to the practical dictation by each Senator of the principal appointments made by the Federal government in his Senatorial district. The courtesy of the Senate requires that the President shall accept his nomination for the place and that the rest of the Senators shall confirm the choice. The ability of each Senator to talk without limit has in the past been the club with which he coerced the President and his colleagues into accepting his executive nominations. It is to be hoped that the gravity of the crisis will cause the various Senators to realize the importance of appointments for reasons of merit only, but it is also essential that their constituents shall warn them in no uncertain tones that the public does not propose at present to have Tom, Dick and Harry appointed to important positions in the army and navy for personal and political reasons by virtue of the courtesy of the Senate. Fortunately, the Senate is a body whose doings are sufficiently public to be watched, if any legislative body can be, and the public may be educated by the Senate and may, let us hope, also serve somewhat to educate the Senate in the idea that efficiency in this war comes first. Patronage is going to run a very bad second, and the public are determined it shall.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

KEEPING COOL.

Let's keep our heads and do things sanely. Excitement is indulged in vainly. Since war clouds gathered o'er the nation, there's been such frenzied agitation, so much of useless noise and clamor, it gives a sane man katzenjammer. A lot of busy men are screeching; hysteric loyalty they're preaching; you'll shriek with them, or you're a traitor—old Benny Arnold was no greater. A thousand schemes no man could follow, each morning we are asked to swallow; you must do this or that or t'other, or you are Arnold's younger brother. These noisy skates are misfits, plainly. Let's keep our heads and do things sanely. All history this fact is telling: Great wars are never won by yelling. We'll never whip the Kaiser's boosters by crowing like so many roosters. We'll never win a single battle by milling round like locoed cattle. I love the flag and would defend it until the crash of worlds shall 'end it; but I don't drape my stately manors in 40,000 spangled banners. That kind of loyalty is easy; but when the tax collector, breezy, comes up to ask us for our plunder, to help to put the foemen under, a lot of patriots will shiver, and have congestion of the liver. Then you will see my smiles are many, while digging up the groat and penny; I saved them for my country, mainly; let's keep our heads and do things sanely.

WALT MASON.

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There is a movement on foot to raise currants on the baseball grounds at the end of the baseball season.

Why not build a tower for wireless ring and allow Von Hindenburg and Von Bethmann-Hollweg to climb it and find out?

The man who had the half million records on his hands, that he wanted to dispose of at a bargain, was in the city yesterday.

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This is the merry month of May, all right, especially in Southern California. In fact it is the month for all the circling twelve.

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Admiral Chocheprat, the name of the big navy man who is French commissioner, is some new preparation of chocolate.

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Jolt.

LONG KIND OF A "LIFT"

Japanese Gardener Begs Bite from Motor Carrying Fortune, and Promptly Gets Jail Cell.

Today He'll Practice Art on Potatoes.

A seedy, woe-begone-looking individual stepped up to Auditor Edwards of the police department yesterday, while the latter was passing City Hall, and said, "Say, bo, can you give me a lift? I ain't gotta car. I'm hungry."

Mr. Edwards, who had the despondent pay roll, amounting to $37,000, under his left arm, looked the unfortunate over and asked him if he was a landscape gardener by trade. He said the hungry voice, but I could get a job for years."

"I have one pretty soon," Mr. Edwards, and told the man to follow him. He took his prisoner to the City Hall and booked him on a charge of vagrancy.

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Forward.

TRADE SEEKERS LOOK TO WEST.

Fields in World's Shipping Are Now Being Sought.

New Plant for Redondo Beach, Says Mayor.

Many Improvements to Follow Building of Harbor.

On the action of the Council of Redondo Beach Monday night in instructing City Attorney F. L. Perry to prepare papers for a bond election to vote on a $200,000 commutation contribution to the proposed harbor there, and similar action by the Hermosa Beach Council Tuesday night, to the extent of $66,000, came the revelation yesterday that the $4,000,000 harbor project is much bigger in its scope than first made public.

According to statements made today by Mayor Louis N. Molnar, who has the definite and positive assurances of several large manufacturing and shipping concerns that when the harbor is an assured fact they will make immediate investigations to locate at that point.

FOR ORIENT TRADE.

The most important of these concerns is one of the largest automobile factories in Detroit, which proposes to establish a factory on the Pacific Coast to build farm tractors for the oriental trade. Mayor Molnar refused to be more specific, but stated that on a recent visit to Detroit he was given an audience of more than a half hours with the executive board of the company and received assurances of its members of locating here. This concern employs several thousand hands and will have its own line of cars.

On this eastern trip Mayor Molnar visited many large manufacturing and shipping concerns, and says he was pleased at the plans disclosed by a part of the biggest enterprises to get a foothold on this coast for the enormous Pacific trade that the easterners realise will develop at the close of the world war. "I have more than the assurance of a shipbuilding company," said Mayor Molnar; "I have the choice of several that are eager to invest big sums at Redondo as soon as facilities can be provided for the line of manufacture. Very soon the coast of South America is going to be profusely rich in ores, and I have the proposition of an immense eastern steel concern to establish a plant here for the treating of these ores. I have the further assurance that we will have the location of one of the largest ocean oil companies—in fact its agent promise that twelve large ships will do their entire business at this port.

STEAMSHIP LINES.

A new Chinese line, and a French line having its European headquarters at Cherbourg, have promised to make their principal Pacific coast port immediately after the close of the war, if the harbor is ready at that time," continued the Mayor. "A line of steamships will call here, because it will be enabled, on estimates, to save one and one-half hours in time. Furthermore, the definite, positive promise of the largest lumber companies, one having 700 hands with a monthly pay roll of $35,000, and the other employing nearly 500 hands, with a monthly pay roll of $25,000, that they stand ready to take advantage of new and modern harbor by locating on its shores.

It is not difficult to secure these concessions. The appreciation among men in the East of the enormous commercial Pacific trade ripe for realization is so keen that the subject only to be broached to them to obtain instant and keen attention.

For 1918.

PLAN FOR ORANGE DAY.

Officers are Elected for Committee to Promote Use of Golden Fruit Throughout Entire Country and for Big Event Next March.

At a meeting held yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce officers of the California Orange Day Committee were elected as follows:

Chairman, Francis Marion; vice-chairman, Robert B. Brown; secretary, Warren Mc-Cleave; treasurer, Dr. Herman Janss; executive Committee, Francis Marion, Don Francisco, Robert B. Brown, F. O. Reed, Herman Silent, Paul T. Wayne and Warren Gregory.

Mr. Marshall, the new chairman, has been chairman of the Chamber of Commerce and the Executive Committees of the Orange Empire organization. The next California Orange Day is set for March 9, 1918, but the committee will continue throughout the year to stimulate the use of oranges throughout the country.

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FAT PRICE FOR ONE LONG FALL.

Man Who Dropped into Forty-two-foot Hole Asks Twenty-six Thousand.

Supervisor John J. Hamilton and the county of Los Angeles were made defendants in a suit filed yesterday by S. A. McKenzie, whose automobile, by reason of a cave-in at Palm street and Loftus avenue, near Wilmar Station, was precipitated into a hole forty-two feet deep. Negligence is alleged. Mr. McKenzie asks $26,485 damages.

As a result of the accident, which occurred May 14, 1916, Mr. McKenzie's automobile was destroyed, for which he asks $435. He says he was subjected to an expense of $300 for medical attendance. Loss of business he estimates at $750. The fall crushed his chest and left shoulder and injured his left lung. He says he was confined to bed for thirty-five days. Mr. McKenzie is in the ice, feed and fuel business.

Diploma Time.

TWENTY-ONE GIRLS ARE TO GRADUATE.

PROGRAMME FOR WESTLAKE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

Events of Commencement Week are to Include Nine Principal Features, and in One of Them Music Composed by Members of Institution will be Rendered.

The commencement season for the Westlake School for Girls will open with a programme of Germah, Spanish, French and Italian on the 29th inst., and the events will continue up to the formal commencement exercises on the forenoon of June 13.

There will be twenty-one graduates this year. The list includes Loretta Mary Roberts, Velma Funk, Vera Martha Field, Charlotte Riddel, Margaret Blanche McGrath, Gertrude Ellen Fuller, Lenice Hermine Kehrberg, Frances Irene Murphy, Marion Elizabeth Joplin, Jessie Mildred Wilson, Marion Isobel Fulton, Helen Bawden Walsh, Margaret Baker Long, Nell Aleen Petit, Herbena Hazeltine, Mary Elaine Hazeltine, Elizabeth MacCormack, Ellen Webber, Ruth Parker, Cora Penelope Alexander and Virginia Susan Dunham.

The programme on the 29th inst. will be given at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. Throughout the mornings of the 31st inst. and June 1 the intermediate and primary departments will present their programmes. On June 7 "Mother Goose" will be presented in the evening. The music for this play has been composed by the school members.

The junior dance will occur on the night of June 8, and on the following day the tennis tournament and luncheon will occur at Beverly Hills. The Westmoreland Players will present "M. Beaucaire" on the evening of June 11, and the work of five modern poets will be presented on the following day at 11 o'clock. The formal commencement programme will begin at 11 o'clock on the forenoon of June 13, and this will be followed by the alumnae luncheon at 12:30 o'clock.

The characters in "M. Beaucaire" will be taken by Virginia Dunham, Margaret Long, Dorothy Sherrard, Barbara Nuener, Mildred Finley, Elinor Warren, Herbena Hazeltine, Elaine Hazeltine, Marie Crismon, Daisy Danziger, Violet Andrews, Ruth Alden Woodcock, Helen Walsh, Regina Winstel, Florence Lewis, Sarah Berrick, Loretta Roberts and others.

Final.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT.

Public Service Commissioners Make Offer of Eighteen Hundred for Needed Portion of the Cole Water System—Parley to Conclude Friday.

After five public hearings by the Public Service Commission on various phases of the proposed purchase by the city of the Cole water system in the Colegrove district, the commission yesterday delivered its ultimatum. It will give $1800 for the portions of the system that the city can use, and this offer holds good only until 4 o'clock on tomorrow afternoon. If not accepted at that time, then, it was declared, all negotiations are off.

Representatives of the Cole interests appeared before the service board yesterday and stated that as employees of the city water department have declared the city could duplicate the portions of the system proposed to be taken over for $5848, they would take just half of that sum for the system, although its original cost to them was $8297.67.

Members of the commission maintained they would not consider buying the plant at all were it not for the fact that the Hollywood water district bonds are tied up and money from that source is not available at present for installing an adequate system for Colegrove, while the purpose of the existing plant would give temporary relief. The commission then made its final offer of $1800.

HIT AT HAMLIN.

Municipal League Criticises Specification for Second-street Bore.

The Municipal League yesterday filed a voluminous report with the City Council, pointing out what it considers undesirable features in the specifications prepared by City Engineer Hamlin for the Second-street tunnel.

The alleged discrepancy between the original cost estimate of $740,000 and the only bid of $1,100,000 is declared by the league to be due to the unsatisfactory specifications filed by the Engineer's office. Various systems of construction are commented on and the league's experts tell what should be done in order to have the work conform to ideals of the organization.

Scents Tragedy.

HUSBAND FREED, WIFE IN FEAR.

Redman Found not Guilty of Slaying Step-father.

His Mate, Afraid of Him, Seeks Aid of Police.

Says He Threatened Her Life if He Won the Case.

Thomas Redman, charged with the murder of his stepfather, William Jordan, two years ago, during a fight over a motorcycle, was declared not guilty by a jury in Superior Judge McCormick's court yesterday, after four hours of deliberation.

As soon as the verdict was returned, Mrs. Redman hurried to the Police Station to seek the protection of the department. She said Redman had threatened her if he won the case, and she believed he intended to execute his threat.

Redman was defended by Attorney William Durham and prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney Clarke. At the time of the slaying, Redman was arrested but was released at the preliminary examination when Attorney Durham placed Mrs. Redman on the stand. She said she herself had killed Mr. Jordan.

The wife was spurned by members of her family after her acceptance of the blame for the tragedy. Recently she quarreled with her husband, and then became his accuser.

Accident.

ANKLE IS FRACTURED.

Dr. B. M. Lawrence, Widely Known Through Southern California for His Anti-cigarette Work, is Injured When Struck by Street Car.

Dr. B. M. Lawrence, widely known throughout Southern California through his anti-cigarette work for many years, author and member of the Octogenarian Club, had his left ankle fractured yesterday when he was struck by a street car. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital and then removed to the Mt. Pisgah Home.

Dr. Lawrence, who is quite deaf, walked directly in front of the moving car, according to witnesses, as it was traveling along Second street, between Spring and Main streets. When the car was stopped he was directly under the front trucks. The car was in charge of Motorman J. T. French and Conductor C. J. Meyers.

FIRST FIGS HERE.

Hotel Pays Dollar a Pound for Coachella Valley Product.

The first fresh figs of the 1917 season were received yesterday by Rivers Bros. Company, who sold the shipment of six pounds to the Alexandria for $1 a pound. These figs were grown by A. L. Wood in his orchard near Indio, in the Coachella Valley. Mr. Wood has the distinction of having sent the first figs of the season to this city for the past eight or nine years.

Front!

"BELL HOP" IN BAD.

Faces Federal Commissioner on Charge of Forging State Senator's Name to Money Order. Diamonds Cause Further Investigation.

Sidney Buford Forbes, alias George R. Granger, alias George Russell, alias B. Forbes, captain of the "bell hops" and mail clerk at a downtown hotel, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Hammack yesterday on a charge of forging the signature of State Senator J. B. McHose of Des Moines, Iowa, to a money order for $60. The accused waived a preliminary examination.

His father is one of the members of the Forbes Realty Company, with offices in the Laughlin Building. His wife and 3-year-old daughter live at the Belle apartments, No. 630 West Fourth street.

Forbes has had a previous criminal record, Federal officials say. The records of Superior Judge Willis show that on July 21, 1916, he pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny, the crime being the stealing of about $1400 worth of goods from a business house on South Main street. But on October 6, 1916, he was admitted to two years' probation by Judge Willis.

The arrest of Forbes was made by Postoffice Inspector Cookson, when, in reply to a decoy letter, he called at the money-order division of the local postoffice to "adjust" the McHose money-order matter. He got no money on the instrument.

In this connection the authorities are investigating Forbes's possession of valuable jewelry and diamonds, which he claims he "traded for."

When arraigned before Commissioner Hammack, Forbes said he would enlist in the army or navy if the Federal althorities would allow him to go, but the commissioner remarked that the government scarcely needed men who were willing to plead guilty to a criminal charge in order to enter the service.

Stood Pat.

FIGHT IS REWARDED.

Suspected Thief Squares Himself in Court to Oppose Charges, Willing to Plead His Own Case, Wins Liberty and Judge's Compliments.

The fighting spirit of A. C. Doty yesterday won his liberty, shattered a seemingly conclusive strand of circumstantial evidence and so ingratiated himself with Superior Judge Craig that the latter personally complimented him.

Doty was charged with having burglarized the home of E. T. Armstrong, No. 941 North Lake street. Jewelry stolen from the house was found in his possession. When he appeared in court yesterday the Public Defender addressed the court with the recommendation that Doty plead guilty and seek lieniency.

Doty interrupted the counsel. "I won't plead guilty," he said; "I'm not guilty and I'm going to fight this thing if I have to be my own lawyer. I may be sent to prison, but not until I put up a scrap."

The court appointed an attorney to defend Doty and at the close of the trial a verdict of not guilty was returned.

Doty said he had bought the jewelry from Jack Wallace, whose address he did not know. It developed that a man by that name had been arrested in San Diego, and had the Armstrong property in his possession.

Save Old Copies of The Times

They Are Worth Money

As a means of inculcating a spirit of thrift and developing money-making and money-saving habits in Los Angeles boys and girls, The Times Circulation Department, until further notice, will buy and pay cash at the rate of one cent a pound for complete old copies of The Times delivered at The Times Office, corner First and Broadway.

This offer applies to old copies of The Times only. No other paper will be accepted.

Times subscribers can earn approximately 15 cents a month for their favorite charity by the sale of 30 copies of the daily and Sunday Times; and boys and girls can earn considerable spending money by collecting old copies of this newspaper from friends and neighbors.

Church societies, benevolent associations and other charitable organizations can increase their incomes by taking advantage of this offer.

Bring or send all of your old copies of The Times to the Times Circulation Department, where they will be paid for in cash at the rate of one cent a pound, or $20 a ton.

Out-of-town subscribers to The Times may make arrangements with the nearest Times agent for the sale of old copies of this newspaper.

All papers must be free from dirt and in good general condition, as well as properly folded and tied in bundles.

The Times-Mirror Company

Green Room.

ENGLAND'S STAGE LIFE EXPLOITED.

FORMER LONDON CRITIC GIVES WITTY REMINISCENCES.

Friday Morning Club Members Enjoy Playwright's Stories of "First and Last Nights I Have Known"—Improvement Traced from the Early Nineties.

Members of the Friday Morning Club had an unusual treat at the monthly meeting, under the auspices of their drama committee, last Tuesday afternoon, when they listened to an interesting address by the well-known English playwright and dramatic critic, H. Sheridan-Bickers, who entertained with racy reminiscences of "First and Last Nights I have Known."

His stories of notable first nights and famous English stage folk, gleaned from fifteen years' experience as dramatic editor and critic on the London press, illustrated the pathos and humor that are always to be found hand in hand in stage life.

Sir Henry Irving's passion for detail, said Mr. Bickers, was equaled only in the exactitude of their own C. B. De Millennium. The speaker traced the improvement in musical hall and dramatic entertainments from the early nineties to the present day, in a series of humorous stories.

When the late George Edwards first sent one of his famous gaiety companies to America he had great difficulty in persuading the "peroxidised peris" (or "show girls,") to leave their "little wooden huts" in Grosvenor gardens, and Pelham place, to venture into what they thought were the "wilds" of America.

Soon after arriving in New York several of them were "mislaid" by the manager, and eventually found huddled like a group of lost sheep in a subway.

"Why the dickens didn't you ask your way?" said the distracted manager.

"Ask our way, indeed?" exclaimed a brainless beauty with much hauteur. "Why—none of us can speak the language!"

Mr. Bickers, who was for years associated as dramatic critic with the London Daily News, the Tribune, the Era and was editor of Vanity Fair, has come to reside in Hollywood, and is now engaged in adapting two of his London stage successes for screen production by one of the leading film companies.

NOT LEGAL WIFE?

Harriett Turner was married to C. S. Pennington at Dallas, March 1, 1915. Ten days later, she alleges in a suit for annulment filed against her husband yesterday, he deserted her. Later on she discovered, the complaint states, that he had previously married Effie Overacker and was not divorced from her. Moreover, Mrs. Pennington says that Mr. Pennington knew that he was not legally free when he married her. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name.

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(Uniforms; Second Floor)

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Women who know the invariably high quality of Coulter silks will need no second invitation to purchase them under established prices, we are sure; and women who are not familiar with the fact that at Coulter's may always be found "the best silks first" will find in the following offer a most auspicious occasion for testing out this statement:

Rich silks in a complete line of shades for evening costumes, as well as the darker tones for making into street frocks, may be had in the following fashionable weaves—

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Any one of the foregoing silks, in similar width and quality, will command a dollar-fifty a yard anywhere it may be obtained. We shall sell, from perfect pieces, for a few days, these weaves for dresses, suits, waists and skirts, at, yard, $1.35.

(Silks; Broadway Annex)

Fetching Breakfast Sets Are Out at Lower Prices

There can be no excuse for not appearing charming at one's breakfast table or about one's morning housework any longer, when garments so very becoming to any woman are buyable for so little money. Styles are varied, and materials in so many hues that a becoming one may easily be selected:

2-Piece Coat and Skirt Sets

In check or plain blue and gray French chambray and gingham; reg. $1.75....$1.00

In figured percale; reg. $1.25 .....$1.00

In plain pink; coat, with elastic belt; reg. $1.25 .....$1.00

Pink and blue check gingham; reg. $1.75, $1.25.

Blue stripe gingham; reg. $2.00....$1.50

In dark gray plaid; solid blue collar and belt; long sleeves; reg. $2.00.....$1.50

In white lawn; blue collar and wide belt; tailored style; reg. $2.25.....$1.75

In white Japanese crepe; blue collar and belt; reg. $3.50 .....$3.00

In Japanese crepe; blue or pink stripe; reg. $2.25 .....$2.00

Bungalow Aprons—65c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.

(Muslinwear; Second Floor)

Gingham—The Vogue

As you no doubt have observed, for wear this spring; either by itself, or daintily combined with silks, pongees, or even a material so contrasting in weave and effect as velvet.

No matter what your preference, you may be certain of finding the harmonizing colorings in the best gingham weaves, at Coulter's.

For not in years have we shown such a variety of the favorite patterns or the plain colors, as we have today in stock.

Prices begin at 12½c, thence to 35c a yard.

We have, in addition, all of the novelty sports materials in wash goods, as well as a diversity of the weaves which are being purchased most just now for graduating dresses and party frocks for Commencement purposes.

(Wash Goods; Rear South Aisle)

Girdles Reduced

They are barbaric in their effect — simulating the zone of the Greeks, with heavy links and jeweled medallions; the belt of the Egyptians with colored plaques of stones, the girdle of the Roman woman with pierced gold ornaments and ornamented pendants, and the modern innovation of beaded girdles with heavy tassels.

$1.25 values $1.00
$2.00 values $1.50
$2.25 values $1.85
$3.00 values $2.25
$3.50 values $2.75
$4.00 values $3.00
$5.00 values $3.25
$6 and $6.50 vals., $5.00

(Jewelry; South Aisle)

New Dresses in Wash Fabrics Arrive

It is an assortment so varied that every preference should be readily met—for voiles in white and contrasting colors; voiles and ginghams (the ginghams in plaids) and other wash fabrics of the moment are shown in diversity. The prices are moderate, $15 and $17.50.

Washable Skirts

—for wearing with separate blouses, in cotton Bedford $3.50

—in wash gabardines, at $4.50, $5.00 and $6.50.

Extra Large Skirts

—in Bedford, at $4.00; in gabardine, at $5.00

Wool Dresses—A Sale

—in serges and poplins; at $14.75, white, navy, Copen serges, and navy poplins; straight-line belted models that are very pretty.

At $16.75—garments in white, navy, serge; in pleated styles; some of the daintiest show touches of embroidery which distinguish them.

(Garments; Second Floor)

Toilet Requisites of Standard Quality

Genuine Bocabelli Pure Castile Soap, bar $1.00

Rubber Bath Caps—a dozen different styles at ....25c, 35c, 50c & 75c

Tintex—for restoring the lustre and body to silks that launder; ten different shades, package.....25c

Harriet Hubbard Ayers' **Snow Drift**, increases the brilliancy and removes the yellowness from gray or white hair, bottle 50c

Jergen's King Hard Water Soap, made from pure oils; ideal for the bath, box $1.00

Absorbent Cotton, a 45c lb. carton for 39c

New Life Vibrator, sold often at $17.50, at Coulter's, $15

Sanitary Napkins, three dozen for.....$1.10

(Toilet Goods; South Aisle)

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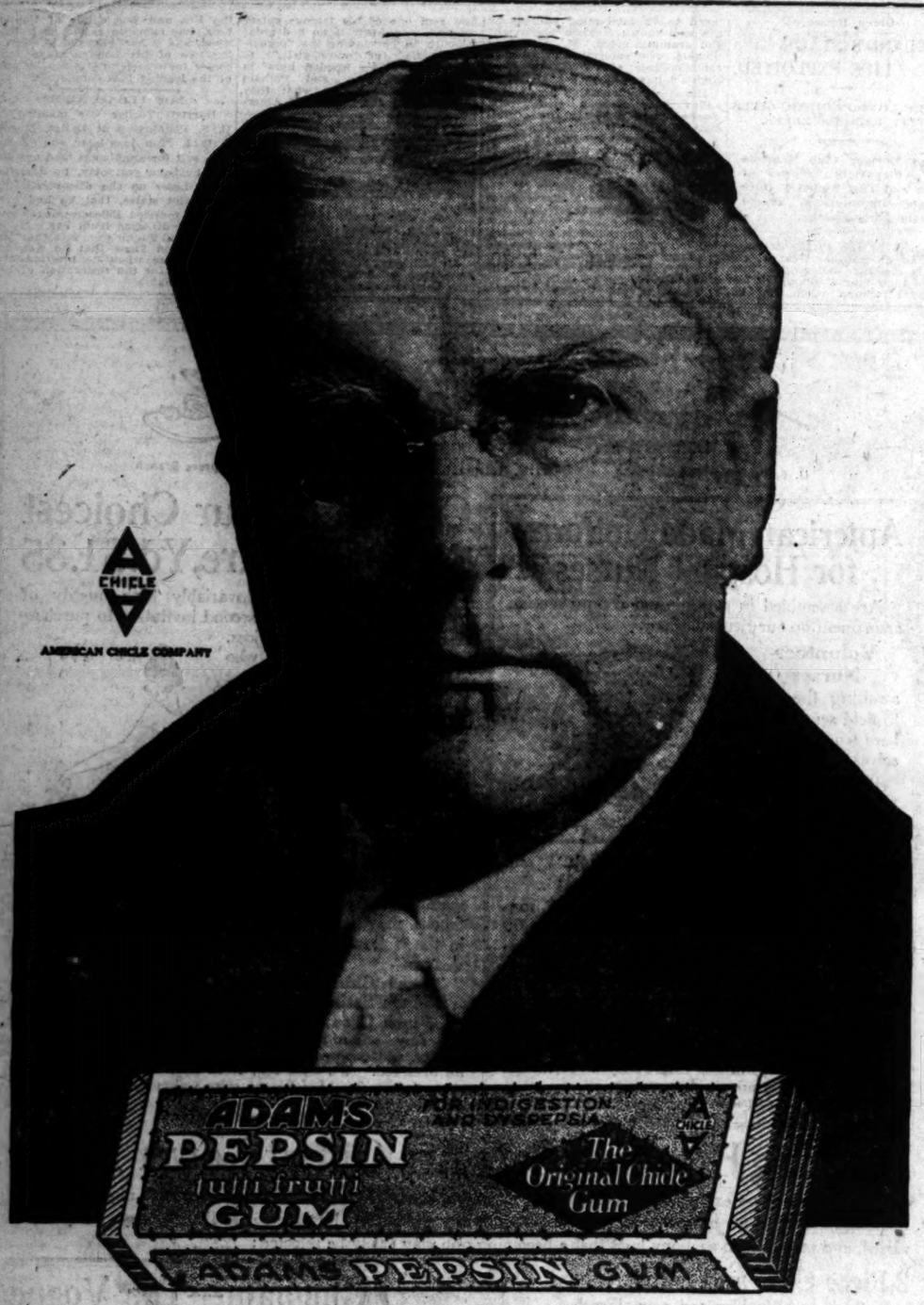

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UNIVERSITY TO ALTER COURSE.

War Forces Reorganization of Entire Curriculum.

Four Quarters to Take Place of Two Semesters.

New System will Allow Farm Work at Any Time.

The University of Southern California faculty yesterday discussed a drastic reorganization of the University curriculum made necessary by war. Beginning with next September it is probable the course will be divided into four quarters annually instead of two semesters and a summer session as at present.

These quarters will follow one another with only a week or so of intermission between. A student may attend all four quarters if he wishes, or any three out of four for the regular course. Faculty members will teach three out of the four.

The adoption of this system was urged upon all universities of the United States by Secretary Baker as a war measure. The Secretary argued that this system would enable students to be taken from their studies through conscription for short periods of farm work at any season of the year without seriously interrupting their education. It would also enable students in the engineering, chemical, pre-medical, physics and other scientific courses to graduate from college in three years, thereby being ready the sooner to serve their country.

All courses in the university, both next year and during the summer session, which begins next July 2, will be turned so far as possible in directions that will make them of national value. Even such subjects as history, journalism and English will be emphasized so as to give them a relation to the nation's present need.

The certainty that the War Department will exempt university students from conscription in the early drafts has created much interest among U.S.C. students and indications are that the summer session attendance will be huge.

STATION MADE TO MOVE AGAIN.

Recruiting Headquarters for National Guard Now at No. 708 Spring.

Recruiting headquarters for the different National Guard units were moved again yesterday, this time from No. 312 South Spring street to No. 708 South Spring.

In general the recruiting at this office shows some improvement, but is not yet all that it should be, according to the officers in charge.

Sugar Control.

(Continued from First Page.)

ers. About 6000 shares of stock were sold at $100 per share to about fifty stockholders, nearly all of whom live in and around Santa Ana. The company has prospered, a number of big dividend melons having been cut since it began operations. By yesterday's deal a number of small fortunes were made by Santa Ana stockholders, while some of the larger stockholders will receive $200,000 and over. One of the largest stockholders whose stock was transferred was A. J. Crookshank, managing director of the Santa Ana Sugar Company.

Besides owning one of the finest sugar mills in the State, the Santa Ana Sugar Company owns several hundred acres of sugar beet land and a large quantity of sugar in storage.

Following the transfer in Los Angeles, Mr. Crookshank took the check home and deposited it in the First National Bank of Santa Ana, of which he is president, from where the distribution will be made to the various stockholders.

Since acquiring the plant of the Southern California Sugar Company the Holly Sugar Corporation has spent many thousands of dollars in putting in new machinery. It is the intention of the Holly company to continue to operate all three of its factories in Orange county. An election of directors by the new stockholders will take place today. The retiring directors are James Irvine, Andrew Getty, W. G. Mitchell, G. W. Moore and A. J. Crookshank.

Higher Tribunal.

BRIDEGROOM IS HELD.

Alleged Embezzler of a large Sum from His Wife Must Answer to Superior Court, Despite Plea that Mate Gave Him Cash to Bet.

Harry E. Bullard, charged with having embezzled $8000 from his bride, was held to answer in the Superior Court yesterday by Justice Summerfield. Mrs. Bullard testified she had given him all her money, believing he was using it for investment in his business. Instead, she said, he gambled on the Tia Juana races and lost it.

When her suspicions became aroused the wife said she had less than $200 left, and is now without funds. She wept while describing the condition of her finances.

Bullard said his bride had given him the money solely to play the races and was thoroughly aware it was being risked in gambling.

MARRIES DAKOTA GIRL.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Fallas, No. 4926 Marathon street, received word yesterday of the marriage of their son, Dr. R. E. Fallas, to Miss Frieda Wenke, daughter of Mrs. Nellie Preble Wenke of Sturgis, S. D., May 5, at the home of the bride. Dr. Fallas is on the surgical staff of the Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit and is a graduate of Johns Hopkins University. He is in the Medical Reserve Corps of the army and holds the commission of first lieutenant.

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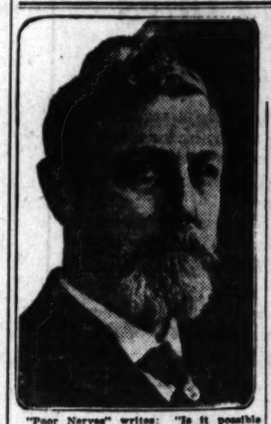

The Doctor's Advice

By Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Elwood streets, Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious names will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

"Vanity" writes: "Two years ago I used your great prescription for kidney trouble and it wholly overcame the trouble. I want medicine now for constipation and impure blood, for I am a sight, with pimples that make big lumpy sores."

Answer: I would advise the taking of three-grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur) for several months to purify the system.

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Ellen J. asks: "Tell me, please, how I can increase my weight and improve my color. I seem to be anaemic, weak and tired all the time."

Answer: Begin taking three-grain hypo-nuclane tablets with your meals and soon you will feel your strength returning and gradually your weight and color will improve. This is a most effective remedy if persistently used.

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"Ray" writes: "Can a sufferer from bronchial trouble be relieved? Doctors do not seem to help me. What would you suggest?"

Answer: To relieve chronic cold, sore throat, bronchitis, I would advise the use of concentrated essence mentho-laxene. Purchase this at any drug store in 2½-oz. packages and mix according to directions given on bottle and you will very shortly be relieved of all bronchial trouble. This will not only relieve, but will correct, and is very pleasant to take.

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J. K. C. writes: "I have a very stubborn chest cold and cough dreadfully when I arise each morning. Please advise treatment?"

NOTE: For many years Dr. Baker has been giving free advice and prescriptions to millions of people through the press columns, and he has helped many in relieving illness and distress more than any single individual in the world's history. Thousands have written him expressions of gratitude and confidence, similar to the following:

DR. LEWIS BAKER, Dear Sir: I am glad I was recommended to your prescription for medicine. I was pretty well run down, nervous and loss of ambition; felt tired all the time; could not sleep, loss of appetite, felt weak and trembled from weakness. I find three-grain Cadomene Tablets are helping me very much. I was writing to my sister about my run-down condition and she advised me to take your prescription of medicine, for she was as bad off as I was and the Cadomene built her nerves up and also restored her health. I am more than thankful, etc. Yours truly, GEORGIE SCHILLO.
6304 Pear Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

Hands Across Sea.

WAR ORPHANS' CRY HEEDED.

Angelenos Planning to Help Poor in France.

Aim to Give Mother's Care to Fifteen Hundred.

Campaign also in Nature of Honor to Joffre.

Mayor Woodman, Bishop Johnson, Monsignor Patrick Harnett and other prominent Los Angeles folk yesterday indorsed a movement to start a practical aid campaign in honor of Marshal Joffre, one which will care for 1500 orphans of France.

Ten cents a day, $3 a month, $36.50 a year, will keep a child of France in its mother's care, and Los Angeles citizens propose to do their "bit" and care for 1500 of these little ones.

At the close of this campaign, the committee in charge will draw up on parchment the following testimonial to be sent to Marshal Joffre:

"To Marechal Joffre: In memory of your momentous visit to our country, we, the citizens of Los Angeles, wish to express in tangible form our admiration for you, the hero of the Marne, and knowing, Monsieur le Marechal of the name, 'Father Joffre,' that your soldiers have given you, and which is perhaps your proudest title, we have thought there was no tribute that would please you so well as to learn that in your honor our city has taken under its care 1500 of the little orphans of your gallant soldiers."

This testimonial will be signed respectively by contributors when the list is completed. An urgent appeal is made for at least 10 cents a day from those who can give that much. Some can give 10 cents a day for a week, others for a month and some for a year. Every cent of money contributed will go direct to the tots. No part will be used for expense of any kind. Subscriptions should be sent to George Fusenot, Brunswig Building, No. 501 North Main street, local treasurer of the Fatherless Children of France, Branch of the American Society for Relief of French War Orphans.

Besides those already named, others indorsing this movement are Louis W. Myers, president of the University Club; Charles H. Langmuir, president the Municipal League of Los Angeles; C. E. Miller, president of the Rotary Club; and L. N. Brunswig, president of the French Alliance of Los Angeles.

The campaign for a Los Angeles unit of twenty ambulances to be sent to the French battlefields is meeting with unusual success, and it is thought the entire number will have been donated before the end of the week.

Henry E. Huntington, railroad magnate, and Mrs. Huntington, each donated an ambulance yesterday. This brings up the list to thirteen.

The Society of Druggists is out with a list endeavoring to send a "Druggists' Ambulance" to the front. Representatives of the French colony are out also with a list to secure one and the American Red Cross Chapter is working on simiair lines. The car donated by Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Milbank is to be known as the "Laurance Milbank Memorial Ambulance."

Many college boys are volunteering their services to go to France and drive these vehicles.

MOHAMMEDAN EAGER TO PAY WAR TAX.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL CENTRO, May 16.—Mucha Khan, Mohammedan of the Brawley district, today offered to present the United States government with a sum of money toward defraying war expenses. He visited Dist.-Atty. Galen Nichol's office and insisted that Nichol accept a pile of cash, declaring that he wished to contribute a part of his wealth to his adopted country. Khan asked the District Attorney the amount of his war tax. The more Khan talked the more the District Attorney was impressed with the sincerity of the offer.

INSTALL OFFICERS OF COMMANDERY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL CENTRO, May 16.—A memorial affair was the installation tonight of officers of Imperial Valley Commandery, Knights Templar. The spacious hall was decorated with national colors and the banners and flags of the Masonic Order of Knighthood in the symbolic colors of red, green, black and white. The impressive installation ceremonies were conducted by Eminent Sir Eugene D. White, retiring Commander, assisted by Sir Percy L. Echols as Grand Marshal.

ORANGE SALE HELPS AZUSA RED C

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

AZUSA, May 16.—[illegible] the Azusa Red Cross [illegible] jubilant over the receipt of a [illegible] for $850 received from the [illegible] a carload of navel oranges [illegible] ton last week. The fruit was donated by various growers of the [illegible] cinity and packed under a [illegible] Red Cross label, bringing $12 [illegible] box net. Advices received from [illegible] ton state that the fruit was fine, showing tier on tier of the [illegible] Cross labels, which undoubtedly added $1 a box to the purchase price.

Later in the season a car of [illegible] lencias will be shipped by the [illegible] iliary, which is expected to add [illegible] other snug sum to the treasury. [illegible] money is used entirely to purchase material which is being made into [illegible] sewing classes into hospital supplies and garments. Two days each week the headquarters is turned over to the sewing classes and machines and needles are plied all day long.

Needlers Needed.

RED CROSS ASKS SEAMSTRESS

WORK FOR TWENTY READY AT HEADQUARTERS

Women will Serve Tea at Alexandria Hotel Palm Room Saturday in Regulation Uniforms—All Refreshments Donated for the Occasion.

Put on your thimbles and get out your needles. The Red Cross wants a big turn-out of women to sew. Work is at headquarters and a score of volunteers [illegible] will be given at the [illegible]

A new supply of gold Red Cross buttons and pins is now on sale.

Miss Force Parker will [illegible] Boyle Heights library this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when a Red Cross auxiliary will be organized for the Boyle Heights Presbyterian [illegible]

A patriotic ball for Red Cross benefit will be given at [illegible] apartments, Sixth and Lake streets, tomorrow evening.

The first opportunity to [illegible] number of Los Angeles women to don the uniform they will wear on the battlefields will be at the Red Cross tea at the Alexandria palm room Saturday afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock. When the "selected" corps marches away for France, the local women, prominent in society, will accompany the contingent to the tea to be served therein to show them in the regulation form.

The Hotel Alexandria management has donated all refreshments for this event, the proceeds of which will go to the Red Cross.

New home nursing classes will be formed Tuesdays and Fridays at 10 a.m. and 7:15 p.m. and Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10 a.m. in Luckie's new first aid classes. Red Cross women form Mondays and Thursdays at noon. Mrs. J. J. [illegible] will address the Wilshire Presbyterian Church Guild at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. R. [illegible] No. 103 North Wilton place. Mrs. Martha Nelson McCan [illegible] Great Northern Hotel [illegible] row night at 8 o'clock.

Congratulatory.

GREEK PRESIDENT FOR OUR [illegible]

SALONIKI'S CHIEF [illegible] MENTS LOCAL CLUB

Repudiation of King [illegible] Sentiment of All Loyal Greeks, Says in Proclamation—Blue and White Stripes is Symbol of Both Purest Aspiration.

The following [illegible] signed by E. Venizelos, the Greek Premier and now [illegible] President of the provisional government of Saloniki, has been received by local Greeks and published yesterday in the Greek newspaper:

You have expressed the sentiment of all Hellenes [illegible] repudiating the King, who [illegible] since the tragic events of June [illegible] the nation has once and for all severed every tie.

I congratulate you on [illegible] to devote all your energies to the noble task undertaken by the United States.

In your distinguished [illegible] stirring and inspiring [illegible] defining America's aims [illegible] the Star Spangled Banner [illegible] come the symbol of humanity's highest ideal. Devotion to [illegible] is henceforth the duty and [illegible] of every free man.

I am convinced that the [illegible] of the United States, [illegible] this conception, will [illegible] ning the active and [illegible] sympathy of the great [illegible] tion.

Five Thousand Wanted.

COMMERCE CHAMBER IN A DRIVE FOR MEMBE[illegible]

A CAMPAIGN to increase the membership of the Chamber of Commerce by 5000 was launched at a dinner at the Alexandria Hotel last night. The guests were members of the various standing committees of the organization. Nearly 200 were present and each was given to understand he would be personally responsible for the addition of ten new members to the roll.

The speakers declared that, while the Los Angeles chamber is recognised as the most progressive and active commercial institution in the United States, its membership numerically is far below that in the average of cities of its class.

Enthusiasm ran high and almost unrestricted pledges of co-operation were given.

President L. D. Sale, toastmaster, in outlining the body's large responsibilities, said:

"Los Angeles is the logical distributing point for the West Coast as far east as the Rocky Mountains and over the Pacific from New Zealand to China and Eastern Russia. The opportunity is [illegible] of Los Angeles and it is [illegible] business men and [illegible] the community to take [illegible] of it."

P. F. McGarry, [illegible] er" directors, outlined [illegible] varied activities of the [illegible] advancing the commercial [illegible] the city.

Foreign trade possibilities [illegible] outlined by James [illegible] trade extension bureau, [illegible] Chase, former chairman [illegible] Membership Committee [illegible] previous membership campaign, and W. T. Selleck, [illegible] tenance of the chamber [illegible] and figures as to what [illegible] are doing in support of [illegible] ing commercial bodies, [illegible] seph Scott, W. D. [illegible] John S. Mitchell also [illegible]

During the course of the [illegible] membership for which [illegible] new members will be [illegible] payment of the first [illegible] dues, at the annual [illegible] year. It was announced [illegible] San Francisco chamber [illegible] campaign, increased its [illegible] to 4000 when the [illegible] placed at $50.

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Gilbert Roche, Canadian Government Exhibit, San Diego, Cal. Canadian Gov't Agt.

South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County Items.

Final.

...OTHER BLOW HITS THROOP.

...ter is Withdrawn by the War Department.

...His Departure Military Training Ceases.

...Day Since War Started a Knitter's Record.

...DENCE.]
...NA, May 17.—The final ...ers upon camp Throop. ...Louis R. Ball, U.S.A. (retired,) ...ssigned to Throop College ...mander of the Officers' Train... ...ed at the solicitation of Pres... ...Julius A. P. Scherer, has been ...ed by the War Department to ...d of the Presidio, San Fran... With the departure of Capt. ...military training at the college ...

...Scherer met Capt. Ball ...er at the Monterey train... ...and was so favorably im... ...with his work that a succes... ...t was made to have the of... ...signed to Throop as com... ...Capt. Ball will leave ...within one week.

...Ball retired from active ...three years ago, when he ...ured by a horse falling on ...is but so far recovered as to ...day pole at the Midwick ...Club. He believes he can ...the army physical test, and ...to go back into the regular ...

...RECORD AS KNITTER.

...ss Topliffe of New ...ssed at the Maryland, has ...ional record as a knitter of ...s coast for soldiers in ...Between the day after the ...in the summer of 1914, ...knitted one cap a day, re... ...hing her one thousandth ...

...Topliffe has spent about $500 ...d yarn, or an average of 50 ...for each cap. Just now the ...ut 65 cents for each cap and ...with some difficulty. ...Topliffe spent twelve years in ...and is familiar with condi... ...and the needs of the ...

...of the caps knitted by Mrs. ...ton were distributed by the ...Red Cross relief in New York, al... ...she has sent several hundred ...to the Italian front.

...knit cap is a most useful ...to the soldiers," Mrs. Top... ...ded. "It keeps the head ...warm and makes the hel... ...over on the head. The gun... ...of the caps over their ears ...the sound.

...ow that the caps are most ...ful to the soldiers in the ...especially in the higher al... ...along the Italian front. I ...of instances where there ...or five caps in a trench, and ...each turns wearing them."

...for short suits, brocades for ...all shades, just arrived ...and now on sale at Grace ...'s Famous Pasadena Shop, ...Las Robles.—[Advertise...

...Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. ...ment.

Grievous.

...LD SWALLOWS STRYCHNINE PILLS.

...RNARDINO BABY DIES ...FROM THE EFFECTS.

...Mother is in Another ...Little One Climbs on ...Reaches into Closet, Gets ...Pellets and Announces ...Took Meddie."

...SPECIAL DISPATCH.]
...RNARDINO, May 16.— ...-year-old child of ...Edward Holmes of ...street, died this after... ...a result of swallowing sev... ...containing strychnine ...reached from a closet ...climbing into a chair.

...took meddie," lisped the ...to her mother as she ...the dining-room to ...mother was working. A ...later the child was seized ...

POOR HIS BEES.

...R. McDonald of this city ...his bees and securing al... ...the production of honey ...McDonald invented an ...contrivance, a metal frame... ...lined with wax, and now his ...all their energies to ...honey instead of hav... ...the combs. McDonald ...his bees working in ...He has patented his in... ...expects to make a for... ...of the idea.

...INSTRUCT JAPANESE MOTHERS.

...DENCE.]
...A, May 16.—Miss Gail ...secretary of the Y.W.C.A., ...interest of young women ...work for regular classes in ...Center of the orientals of ...The work has the sup... ...Japanese Association of ...

...Mothers are being in... ...improved sanitation ...and to care of children and ...guidance of their house...

...MONEY FOR ...RE GUARDS FUND.

...DENCE.]
...May 16.— Mrs. Clara ...daughter of the ...("Lucky") Baldwin, this ...gave a check for $100 to ...Junior Auxiliary for the Venice ...uniform fund. The ...shortly before the open... ...performance given ...pavilion for the fund. ...from the production, ...pleasure in nature, was ...to the guards to be used ...uniforms and equipment.

Mrs. Atwood Topliffe,

Visitor in Pasadena, who holds a high record as a knitter of wool trench caps for European soldiers. She is working on her 1000th cap, having knitted one cap a day, starting the day after the war began.

Progress.

CAMPAIGN ENTERS ON SECOND PHASE.

GREATER WHITTIER COLLEGE PROGRAMME ADVANCED.

Strenuous Efforts will be Made to Raise Large Sum Before the End of the Month—President Rosenberger Says He is Sure Plans will Succeed.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, May 16.—The second phase of the campaign for $250,000 for a greater Whittier College began last evening with an al fresco dinner on the college campus. So far $77,000 has been collected. Up to now the campaign has been largely one of organization. Today 100 workers began a systematic canvass of the community for contributions large and small. Daily dinner meetings and reports will be the programme.

After the dinner last evening a programme was given of music and readings, and then a further outline of the plans for the Greater Whittier College was made by President Absalom Rosenberger and by Dr. William V. Coffin, president of the college board.

According to these speakers the plans will win. Said Dr. A. Rosenberger: "I am willing to sacrifice my hopes and ambitions on the altar of Whittier College."

According to those who claim to know, as soon as Whittier as a community has shown its abiding faith in the Greater Whittier College large gifts from those beyond its immediate environs may reasonably be expected. The present campaign will continue through this month.

Tilts.

ATTORNEYS CLASH OVER SUNDAY LAW

PEPPER IS ADDED TO HEARING BY CALEXICO BOARD.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union Asks that Pool Halls be Closed During Church Hours so as to Allow Habitues to Attend Divine Service.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CALEXICO, May 16.—The Sunday closing ordinance was the absorbing topic at the meeting last night of the City Trustees. The proceedings were enlivened when City Attorney Butcher and Attorney Ault, the latter representing the druggists, clashed over its provisions.

The Trustees heard with interest a committee representing the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, consisting of Mrs. A. J. Phillips, Mrs. Lee Little and Mrs. James Bragg. They did not demand the closing of the pool halls entirely on Sunday, but wanted the hours of business arranged so that the habitues might find time to attend church in the mornings. The women frankly stated their belief that it was better to have the pool halls open Sunday afternoons and evenings than to force the regular patrons of those places to seek amusement at other places of less respectability. The ordinance was referred back to the City Attorney with instructions to make some slight changes. It will come up again next Tuesday night.

AWAY WITH TENTS.

Final action with regards to shacks and tenthouses in the business section of Calexico was taken by the City Trustees last night, when the City Marshal was ordered to tear down all such structures. The Council had previously declared the places a public nuisance, as unsightly and unsanitary.

FIGHTS AND BITES OFF TWO FINGERS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, May 16.—B. Ruiz is in a local hospital with two fingers missing from his right hand and with ten cuts on his body, and B. Solorio, a fellow-countryman, is being held on a charge of mayhem. It is alleged that Solorio bit Ruiz's fingers off, and that he inflicted the cuts on Ruiz's body with a bread knife. Solorio, when arrested, declared he bit his antagonist to save himself from being stabbed to death.

First.

MAIDEN TRIP SATISFACTORY.

Government Vessel is Given Test at Long Beach.

Twenty-four-hour Cruise for Lighthouse Tender.

Strong Craft, Locally Built, has Engine Trials.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, May 16.—After a twenty-four-hour test cruise and engine trials off the coast between this city and Newport Bay, where all government craft are tried out in Southern California, the new government lighthouse tender Cedar, erected at the plant of California Shipbuilding Company at a cost of $250,000, returned to port tonight.

Naval officials and government ship inspectors on board the craft declared the Cedar performed satisfactorily on her maiden trip, and that the official test will now be arranged for without further delay.

Capt. J. W. Smith of San Pedro piloted the tender out of Long Beach Harbor at 5:30 o'clock yesterday evening, the craft returning at 5:30 p.m.

On the vessel during her twenty-four-hour cruise, in addition to her crew of twenty-eight men, were Capt. Trout of the lighthouse service, and Government Ship Inspector Cook, in addition to several other naval officers and shipbuilders.

The Cedar will be used in the Alaskan coastal service, transporting supplies to the beacon stations of the far north. She is especially built to withstand the heavy seas off the Alaskan coast.

Unearthed.

PETRIFIED BONES ARE HOARY RELICS.

PITTSBURGH FINANCIER WILL EXCAVATE FOR MORE.

Discovery in Canyon South of Beaumont of Remains of Prehistoric Animals Arouses Interest and Plans are Made to Conduct an Extensive Search.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BEAUMONT, May 16.—The discovery of the petrified bones of various prehistoric animals in Baptiste Canyon, a few miles south of Beaumont, has attracted the interest of C. Frick, a son of the noted financier, H. C. Frick of Pittsburgh, and further explorations are being made under his direction.

Mr. Frick has secured the assistance of Joseph Rak, a scientist, and excavations have been started which are expected to disclose many specimens of great value in furnishing information concerning the animal life of the early ages.

Among the finds already made are a tooth of the sloth, an animal that grew to gigantic proportions, and the bones of prehistoric horse and antelope. Special tools are required in digging for the bones, as great care must be taken to avoid breakage. When the bones are uncovered they are carefully packed in cotton and shipped to the State University at Berkeley, where they are classified as to origin after their size and formation have been studied.

Some years ago similar discoveries were made at Eden Hot Springs, near this city, but no extensive search was conducted. The deposits in Baptiste Canyon give promise of much more important fields as the result of the Frick explorations.

CARPINTERIA MEN JOIN CONSTABULARY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CARPINTERIA, May 16.—Co. F of the Santa Barbara County Constabulary has been organized here. It consists of ninety men and drills Tuesday and Friday evenings on the school athletic grounds. Howland S. Russell is captain and R. O. Thomas and A. D. Olney lieutenants.

An auxiliary of the Red Cross was organized here last night with a membership of 180. Miss Anna Moore was chosen chairman, Miss Grace Howeth, secretary, and Miller & McLean, treasurers. The work of preparing and packing boxes will be begun at once. Two classes in first aid are being conducted by Dr. J. C. Cummings.

With an attendance of 189 delegates the fifth annual county convention of the Y.P.S.C.E. just held here was a success. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Miss Pearl Callis, Lompoc; first vice-president, G. A. Hodgius, Jr., Santa Barbara; second vice-president, Frank Roberts, Carpinteria; third vice-president, M. H. Burnham, Santa Ynez; secretary, Miss Lily Horn, Lompoc; treasurer, Charles Sanders, Santa Barbara; junior superintendent, Miss Lorena Burk, Santa Barbara; intermediate superintendent, Lee Lyman.

CAR OVERTURNS ON FAMILY OF TEN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA PAULA, May 16.—Brooks Sutton, his wife and eight children escaped unhurt yesterday afternoon when their machine overturned in Salt Marsh Canyon. The machine was heavily loaded with household effects and with the human freight of ten when it skidded on the oiled roads. The family had come from Lompoc, expecting to stop for a short visit with relatives, and then go to Missouri.

GETS COMMISSION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, May 16.—A. A. Peters of the staff of the local Highway Commission's office received from the War Department yesterday a commission as captain of engineers in the Officers' Reserve Corps and left today for the training camp at the Presidio.

SUGGESTS WAY TO PAY DEBTS.

Attorney Proposes Plan by Which Venice Can Discharge Bills.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, May 16.—In a letter to the Board of Trustees, Charles W. Lyon, City Attorney, today outlined a plan whereby back debts of Venice might be paid. The debts amount to more than $50,000. Mr. Lyon's plan is for the board to create a special fund into which back taxes can be paid. In this way the money would be segregated from that due this year, and could legally be used to pay last year's debts.

Support.

WITHOUT RESERVE PLEDGE LOYALTY.

CALIFORNIA UNIVERSALISTS PASS RESOLUTIONS.

They Rejoice that the Demands of Patriotism in this Crisis Coincide with the Behests of Conscience and Religion—End Riverside Sessions.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE May 16. — Resolutions pledging loyalty to the President were adopted here today by the California Universalist convention, which held its closing session tonight with a service on Mt. Rubidoux, followed by a sunset supper.

"We rejoice to feel that the demands of patriotism in this crisis coincide with the behests of conscience and religion," says the resolutions in part. "We call upon our Universalist people to give themselves without reserve to the support of the government and the advance of the cause. Let us show that our faith is dynamic, masterful, equal to the storm and stress of trying times."

The convention went on record as protesting against the raise in the postal rates on periodicals and newspapers as proposed in the war tax measure now pending, and indorsed the proposal to conserve all grains for food purposes.

The California Universalist convention was founded in Riverside thirty years ago. Only one person in the large audience which heard the anniversary address delivered this morning by Dr. C. E. Nash was present at the meeting held in 1887, when the convention was founded. Seneca LaRue, a resident of the city, bears this distinction, the anniversary service occurring on the eighty-sixth anniversary of his birth. Los Angeles was selected for the 1918 convention.

Officers were elected by the convention as follows: President, Theodore D. Kanouse, Pasadena; vice-president, Mrs. William P. Russell, Riverside; secretary, C. C. Blauvelt, Pasadena; treasurer, S. I. Wallace, Pasadena; trustee, C. T. Norton, Riverside; Fellowship Committee, Rev. G. A. Miller, Santa Paula; Rev. Carl Henry, Pasadena; C. C. Morris; superintendent, Dr. Ellwood Nash, Los Angeles; occasional sermon for 1918 session, Rev. C. H. Emmons, Riverside.

Feminine.

JOINS AS YEOMAN FOR FOUR YEARS.

MONROVIA GIRL ENLISTS IN THE NAVAL RESERVE.

Is Appointed Stenographer for Superintendent of Navy Nurse Corps at Washington — Duarte Rancher Taken to Los Angeles for an Operation.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONROVIA, May 16.—Miss Florence Francis, niece of Mrs. C. R. Norris of No. 133 North Encinitas, is the first Monrovia girl to enlist in the United States Navy. Miss Francis is now serving a four-year enlistment in the naval reserve as a third class yeoman. She is stenographer for the superintendent of the Navy Nurse Corps at Washington, D. C., and draws a salary of $70 a month. She enlisted March 30 and entered active service April 2. Miss Francis is a graduate of a local business college.

APPENDICITIS VICTIM.

Earl T. Richardson, a citrus fruit rancher of Duarte, was stricken with appendicitis last night and rushed to the Angelus Hospital, where he underwent an operation early today.

SIMPLE COMMENCEMENT.

Because the burden of war makes all display out of place, the seniors of Monrovia High School are going in for simplicity in their graduation exercises, to be held in the Greek Theater here June 21. The girls will have the simplest possible graduation gowns; there will be no senior play, and the school annual has been eliminated. Thirty-four seniors are in line for diplomas.

ENTERS OFFICERS' CAMP.

George S. Allison, nephew of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Allison of No. 126 West Lime street, has been accepted at the officers' training camp in the Central Division, at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Mr. Allison is a former student in the U.S.C. law school. His home is at McPherson, Kan.

ASSEMBLYMAN IS EAGLES' PRESIDENT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, May 16.—Word was received here today from Redding that Charles W. Lyon, State Assemblyman from the Sixty-second District and City Attorney of Venice, was elected President of the State Eagles. Mr. Lyon was formerly president of the Ocean Park Aerie. Eureka was chosen as the next convention place.

LEAVES FUND FOR MASONIC HOME.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, May 16.—By the will of B. F. Townsend, Santa Ana pioneer, who died recently, $10,000 is left to the Santa Ana Lodge of Masons and $1000 to the Santa Ana chapter of the Eastern Star. The will directs that the $10,000 be placed at interest for at least thirty years, by which time it will be $160,000.

"When that time arrives it is my wish," wrote Townsend in his will, "that the lodge purchase a few acres of good land and erect thereon a home for indigent members of the lodge and order. There are few things more pathetic than penniless and homeless old age, often the result of misfortune, but I think more frequently the result of bartering future comfort and independence for present luxury."

Townsend's estate subject to probate is $100,000. The major portion of it will go to his daughter, Mrs. Mabel T. Lowell of Santa Ana.

CURTAIN IS DRAWN FOR OCTOGENARIAN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, May 16.—After a residence of thirty-three years in this city, Josephus D. Warner died yesterday, aged 85 years. Death came six days after he and his venerable wife were taken to the State Hospital at Patton, the only place where it was felt that proper treatment could be accorded the couple, whose minds had become affected by their advanced age, and it had become difficult to care for them at home. Funeral services will be conducted from the Knopsnyder chapel on Thursday afternoon, with Ashlar Lodge of Masons in charge, burial to be in Mountain View Cemetery, San Bernardino. Mr. Warner leaves a son and daughter, W. T. Warner and Mrs. A. G. Thornton of this city.

Change.

DESERTS TEACHING TO RAISE STOCK.

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL OF CALEXICO RESIGNS.

Retires from Educational Work in Order to Engage in a More Remunerative Business in Ohio, Where His Family Owns Herds of Pedigreed Cattle.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CALEXICO, May 16.—Floyd I. Rittenour, principal of the Calexico High School, announced this morning that he is to retire from educational work to engage in the more remunerative business of cattle-raising and farming with his father and brother at Kingston, O., where they own 1200 acres of land and large herds of pedigreed stock. The father and brother also own many sections of cattle range in Texas, and have urged Prof. Rittenour to join them. After spending a vacation with his family in Los Angeles he will take up his new work in August. Having faith in Calexico, he will not dispose of his property in this city.

Members of the Board of Education give Prof. Rittenour credit for much success. Coming to the city five years ago, he found the high school conducted in a small frame building on Sixth street, now used as a kindergarten. The school at that time had twenty-two students and three teachers; now there are more than 100 students and a faculty of nine. In addition to the regular enrollment, a large number attend the night school, including many soldiers. The board has taken no steps to secure a successor to Prof. Rittenour.

TRIPLE CELEBRATION AT MONROVIA PARK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONROVIA, May 16.—The triple celebration of Monrovia's birthday anniversary, the first reunion of the Monrovia Iowa Society and a patriotic programme will be held next Thursday, when former Hawkeyes from all over the San Gabriel Valley will gather at the Monrovia City Park. Judge Fred H. Taft of Los Angeles will be the principal speaker and C. H. Parsons, organizer of State societies in Southern California, will be present to assist in getting the new society in running order.

Iowans from El Monte, Sierra Madre, Glendora, Covina, Azusa, Arcadia and other near-by towns are invited to the gathering, which begins at noon with a basket luncheon. The regular programme of music, speeches and songs will start at 2 o'clock p.m.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK SPEAKERS CHOSEN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, May 16.—Speakers for commencement week at the University of Redlands have been selected and invitations will be mailed soon to the many friends of the institution. Rev. Charles Locke, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Los Angeles, will deliver the commencement address on Wednesday morning, June 20. Degrees will be conferred by President Victor L. Duke and the annual university dinner will be held.

Commencement week will begin the preceding Saturday with a concert by the fine arts department. Sunday morning Rev. John Snape of the Hollywood Baptist Church will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and that evening Rev. George Wright of the Santa Barbara Church will speak to the young people. Monday evening the annual Zanjafiesta will be held and this year it will be a Red Cross benefit. The operetta "Pinafore" will be given. Tuesday there will be class day and that evening President and Mrs. Duke will hold a reception.

Rev. C. F. Aked will deliver the commencement address at the High School exercises to be held at the Wyatt Theater on Tuesday evening, June 11. There will be eighty-five graduates.

COLLECTOR RESIGNS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, May 16.—J. E. Crouch, Jr., who has been tax and license collector since April, 1915, today tendered his resignation to the Board of Trustees, to take effect May 31. Mr. Crouch will become manager of a garage at Anaheim.

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Stocks and Bonds.

LOAN TO RUSSIA MAKES WALL STREET BOOM.

Extraordinary Improvement Attributed Mainly to More Cheerful Aspects Presented by the Foreign Situation and Abatement of Liquidation in Rails and Utilities. Bonds Share in the Upward Trend.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Extraordinary improvement shown by the stock market today was attributed mainly to the more cheerful aspects presented by the foreign situation, and an abatement of the recent liquidation in rails and utilities. The loan by this government of $100,000,000 to Russia had an extremely favorable effect on the financial relations between the two countries. United States Steel led the rise on the exchange, making a net advances of 4¼ points to 120¾, its highest quotation of the year, but considerably under its maximum of 1916. Dealings in Steel were on the same enormous scale that characterized operations in that stock during the "boom" markets of the past two years. Other steel and iron shares were higher by 2 to 7 points, the greatest gain being made by Superior Steel, a newcomer in this market, which rose from 38 to 46. Bethlehem Steel, new stock, gained 5 at 127½, the old stock rising 4¾ to 134½. Shippings furnished largely in today's dealings, Maxine preferred gaining 2 points, and Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies 3¾. Coppers made only moderate advances, with oils and motors. Foremost among the utilities were American Telephone, at a gain of 3¾ points, and Ohio Gas, which gained 4. All classes of rails were embodied in the inquiry for that group Total sales were 750,000 shares. Bonds were weak in the early dealings, but made partial recoveries on the upswing in the stock market. International issues were irregular. Total sales, par value, were $3,585,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call, but registered 4s broke ⅞ of 1 per cent on a single call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May. 16.—Following is comparisof of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, May 16, 1917	$ 3,585,000
Same day of week last year	2,279,000
From January 1 to date	409,795,000
Same period in 1916	392,290,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, May 16, 1917	749,800 shares
Same day of week last year	886,000 shares
From January 1 to date	70,514,112 shares
Same period in 1916	58,542,925 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 16.—Foreign Exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.75	4.76 7-16
Paris	5.17⅞	5.17⅛
Hongkong	87.38	87.38⅝
Peking	87.00	87.00⅝
Shanghai	87.50	87.50⅝
Bombay	32.39	32.37⅛
Calcutta	32.39	32.37⅛
Italy	7.00	6.99
Kobe	50.87½	51.00
Yokohama	50.87½	51.00
Manila	50.12½	50.25
Holland	40.07⅛	41.06⅝
Russia	2.60	2.70
Copenhagen	28.60	28.60
Stockholm	29.40	29.50
Christiania	29.10	29.35

MERCANTILE PAPER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Mercantile paper, 5 per cent.; sterling sixty-day bills, 4.72; commercial sixty-day bills, on banks, 4.71½; commercial sixty-day bills, 4.71¼; demand, 4.75 11-20; cables, 4.76 7-16; bar silver, 74⅝; Mexican dollars, 58; government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, weak; time loans, easier, sixty days, 4¼@4½; ninety days, 4¼@4¼; six months, 4¼@4⅝; call money steady; high, 2½; low, 2¼; ruling rate, 2½; last loan, 2¼; closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2½.

MEXICAN DOLLARS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Mexican dollars, 57 1-20.

LONDON MONEY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 16.—Bar silver, 38d per ounce; money, 4@4¼ per cent.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Stock.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
100 Alaska	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¾
100 Atlantic G. L.			104½	110
5,700 Allis-Chalmers	53¼	51	51½	52
Do. pfd	95	95	95	97
700 Am. Agr. Chem.	91⅞	91⅛	91½	92
Do. pfd	107	107	107	108
3,400 Am. Car & Fdy.	67¼	66	66¼	67
Do. pfd	114	114	114	115
8,700 Am. Can Co.	44⅝	43⅝	44	44⅜
100 Do. pfd	108	108	108	109
1,000 Am. Beet Sugar	61	60	60½	62
5,600 Am. Beet Sugar pf	90	89	89½	90
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Am. Cotton Oil	41½	41	41	41½
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Am. Ice Sec.	17⅜	17	17	17⅜
3,600 All. Gulf, W. I.	104⅝	103⅛	103⅝	104⅜
700 Am. Linseed	31¾	30¾	30¾	31¾
Do. pfd	90	90	90	92
2,100 Am. Locomotive	67¾	66¼	66¾	67
Do. pfd	102	102	102	103
1,200 Am. Smelting	91½	90	91	91½
4,800 Am. S. & R. Co.	102⅝	100	100	102
100 Do. pfd	112	112	112	113
1,000 Am. Steel Fdy.	51½	50	50½	51
Do. pfd	117	117	117	118
Am. Sugar	124	124	124	125
Am. Tel. & Tel.	119¾	119¾	119¾	120
Am. Tob. pfd	104	104	104	105
Am. Woolen	78	77	77	78
8,400 Am. Zinc	31¾	30¾	31	31¼
Do. pfd	85	85	85	86
Anaconda	39⅝	38⅝	39	39⅛
1,200 Atchison	101	100	100	101
1,800 At. Coast Line	117	116	116	117
Baldwin Loco.	84¼	82¾	83	83¼
2,200 Balt. & Ohio	71¾	70¾	71	71¼
Do. pfd	84	84	84	85
1,200 Bethlehem Steel	134½	127½	127½	129
200 Do. "B"	134	134	134	135
1,600 Brooklyn R. T.	84	82¾	83	83¼
1,100 Butte & Sup.	68¾	67¾	68	68¼
1,200 Cal. Petroleum	25¾	24¾	25	25¼
Do. pfd	73	72	72	73
1,600 Canadian Pac.	151¾	150	150	151
1,100 Cent. Leather	84¾	84	84¼	84¾
Do. pfd	110	110	110	110
1,000 Central of N. J.	200	200	200	200
Chicago & Alton	19	18	18	19
Do. pfd	37	37	37	37
1,000 C. & O.	61¾	61¼	61¼	61¾
1,000 C. & N. W.	96¾	96	96	96¼
1,000 C. & N. W. pfd.	130½	130	130	130½
1,000 C. M. & St. P.	77¾	77	77	77¼
5,600 C. M. & St. P. pfd.	124	123¼	123¾	124
1,000 C. R. I. & P.	25¾	25¼	25¼	25¾
Do. pfd	57	57	57	58
1,000 C. R. I. & P. 6%	84	84	84	85
1,900 Chile Copper	27¾	27	27	27¼
Chino Copper	45	44¾	44¾	45
1,000 Colo. Fuel & I.	50¾	49¾	50	50¼
Colo. Southern			39	40
Do. 1st pfd			57	58
Do. 2nd pfd			45	46
Consolidated Gas	107¾	106¾	106¾	107
Corn Products	24¾	23¾	24	24¼
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
7,600 Crucible Steel	80¾	78¾	79	79¼
Cuba Cane Sugar	30	29¾	29¾	30
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
1,200 Cuba Cane Sug. pf.	104	103¾	103¾	104
1,000 Cuba R. R.	15¾	15¼	15¼	15¾
Do. pfd	87	87	87	89
1,600 Distillers' Sec.	16¾	15¾	15¾	16¼
1,000 Erie	17	16¾	16¾	17
1st pfd	28¾	28	28	28¼
2nd pfd	21	20¾	20¾	21
1,000 Gen. Chemical	68	67	67	68
Do. pfd	103	103	103	104
1,000 Gen. Electric	147	145¾	145¾	146
Gen. Motors	138	135	135	138
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Goodrich	58	57	57	58
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Great Nor. pfd	104	104	104	105
Great Nor. Ore	37	36¾	36¾	37
Gulf States Steel	87	86	86	87
Hide & Leather	20	19¾	19¾	20
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Illinois Central	105	105	105	106
Inspiration	57	56	56	57
Int. Harv. com.			113	115
Int. Harv. pfd.			107	108
Int. Marine	20¾	20¼	20¼	20¾
Do. pfd	100	100	100	100
Int. Nickel	24¾	24¼	24¼	24¾
Int. Paper	57¾	56¾	56¾	57¾
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Int. Smelting	45¾	45	45	45¾
Int. Tel. & Tel.	97	96¾	96¾	97
Jewel Tea	65	64	64	65
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Kan. City Southern	25	24¾	24¾	25
Do. pfd	57	57	57	58
Kayser	97	97	97	98
Kelly Springfield	57	56	56	57
Kennecott	35¾	35¼	35¼	35¾
Keystone Tire	15	14¾	14¾	15
Lackawanna Steel	84	83	83	84
Lehigh Valley	77	76¾	76¾	77
Loose-Wiles	97	97	97	98
Do. 2nd pfd	97	97	97	98
Louisville & Nash.	127	126	126	127
Mackay Co.	71	70¾	70¾	71
Do. pfd	76	76	76	77
Marine	30¾	30¼	30¼	30¾
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Maxwell Motor	57¾	56¾	56¾	57¾
Do. 1st pfd	97	97	97	98
Do. 2nd pfd	97	97	97	98
Mex. Petroleum	99¾	98	98	99
Miami Copper	32¾	32¼	32¼	32¾
Midvale Steel	46¾	46¼	46¼	46¾
Missouri Pac.	28¾	28¼	28¼	28¾
Mont. Power	84	84	84	85
Nat. Acid	57	57	57	58
Nat. Biscuit	120	120	120	121
Nat. Enamel	97	97	97	98
Nat. Lead	97	97	97	98
Do. pfd	120	120	120	121
N. Y. C. & H. R.	71	70¾	70¾	71
N. Y. N. H. & H.	39¾	39¼	39¼	39¾
N. Y. Ont. & W.	34¾	34¼	34¼	34¾
Norfolk & West.	113	112¾	112¾	113
North American	57¾	57¼	57¼	57¾
Northern Pac.	97¾	97¼	97¼	97¾
Pacific Mail	23¾	23¼	23¼	23¾
Pac. Tel. & Tel.	99¾	98¾	98¾	99¾
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
1,800 Penn. R. R.	49¾	49¼	49¼	49¾
1,200 People's Gas	57¾	57¼	57¼	57¾
1,200 Pressed Steel Car	57¾	57¼	57¼	57¾
100 Do. pfd	112	112	112	113
600 P. Coal Co.	23	23	23	24
Do. pfd			101	102
P. C. C. & St. L.			95	96
Do. pfd			90	92
200 Pullman	144½	144½	144½	147
5,200 Ray Cons.	23¾	23¼	23¼	23¾
500 Ry. Steel Springs	69	68	68	69
Do. pfd	98	98	98	99
13,900 Reading	83¾	82¾	83¼	83¾
Do. 1st pfd	87	87	87	88
Do. 2nd pfd	81¾	80¾	80¾	81¾
10,400 Republic I. & S.	101	99½	99½	101
Do. pfd	107	107	107	108
300 Rock Isl. & P.	13	13	13	13¼
300 Rock Isl. & P. pfd	22	22	22	23
Rumely com.			30	32
Rumely pfd.			73	75
500 Sears, Roebuck	127	127	127	128
Do. pfd	98	98	98	99
2,200 Sloss S. & I.	54¾	53¾	53¾	54¼
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
1,000 S. A. & A. P.	77	76¾	76¾	77¼
Do. 1st pfd	97	97	97	98
2,700 So. Pacific	91¾	90¾	90¾	91¾
1,800 So. Railway	28¾	28¼	28¼	28¾
Do. pfd	68	68	68	69
6,300 Studebaker com.	89	87¾	87¾	89
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Tenn. Copper	30	29¾	29¾	30
1,100 Texas Co.	107¾	106	106	107¾
2,900 Texas Oil	207¾	204¾	204¾	207¾
500 Texas Pac. C. & O.	39	38¾	38¾	39
2,800 Tobacco Prod.	83¾	81¼	82¾	83¼
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Transcontinental	3	3	3	3¼
Union Bag	57	56	56	57
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
1,400 Union Pac.	134¾	133¾	133¾	134¾
Do. pfd	84	84	84	85
100 U. S. A. Co.	19	19	19	19
1,000 U. S. Ind. Alco.	64¾	63¾	63¾	64¼
Do. pfd	116	116	116	117
6,100 Union Pacific	132¾	132¼	132¼	132¾
600 U. F. Oil	17¾	17¼	17¼	17¾
11,000 Utah Copper	103¾	101¾	101¾	103¾
1,400 U. Cigar S. com.	96	95	95	96
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
1,200 U. S. Rubber	94	93¾	93¾	94
Do. 1st pfd	116	116	116	117
200 U. S. Smelting	55	54	54¼	55
Do. pfd			65¼	66¼
Utah Con.			4	4¼
Va.-Car. Chem.			61	62
600 Va. Coal & Coke	70¾	68	70	71
100 Wabash	11	11	11	11¼
Do. pfd	45	44	44½	46¼
Do. pfd "B"	23¾	23¼	23¼	24¼
Wells-Fargo	91	91	91	92
Western Union	93¾	92¾	92¾	93¾
Westinghouse	49¾	48¾	49	49¼
Do. 1st pfd	98	98	98	99
Do. 2nd pfd	68	68	68	69
Weste. Maryland	31¾	31¼	31¼	31¾
Do. 1st pfd	45	45	45	46
Do. 2nd pfd	32	32	32	33
Wheeling Steel	34¾	34¼	34¼	34¾
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Willys-Overland	38	37½	37½	38
Do. pfd	98¼	98	98	98¼
Wis. Central	68¾	67¾	67¾	68¼
Woolworth	125	125	125	125
Do. pfd	107	107	107	108
Worthington	72	72	72	73
Do. pfd	97	97	97	98
Yukon Gold	2¾	2½	2½	2¾
Zinc & Iron	15	14¾	14¾	15
22,800 Both. Steel "B"	127¼	122¾	127¾	127¼

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

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NEW YORK, May 16.—Closing quotations:

	Close—Bid.	Asked.
Ahmeek	97	99
Adventure	2¾	3
Atlanta	11	12
Allouez	62	64
Algoma	60	61
Am. Pneu.	1¾	1¾
Do. pfd	10	11
Am. Zinc	31½	31¾
Arcadian	20	21
Ariz. Com.	13	13¼
B. S. Gas	1	1¼
Beaver Hill	50	60
Baltic	1¾	2
Bingham	70	75
Bonanza	1	1¼
Butte & Ballaklava	1¾	2
Butte & L.	3	3¼
Butte & Sup.	68	68¼
Calumet & Ariz.	79½	80
Cal. Petro.	25	25¼
Cal. Oilfields	91½	92
Cal. & Hecla	540	550
Canada	1¾	2
Centennial	18	19
Chief Cons.	2¾	2¾
Cons. Ariz.	1¾	2
Copper R.	30	32
Crown R.	50	55
Daly West	1¾	2
Davis Daly	4½	5
East Butte	12½	12¾
First Nat.	2 5-16	2¾
Cherokee	8	9
Fortuna	10	11
Franklin	4½	5
G. B. & S. Y.	1¼	1½
G. C. & S.	10	10¼
Glenn Lyon	10¼	10¾
Granby	79	82
Greene Can.	41¾	42¼
Gold. Cons.	52	53
Hancock	15	15¼
Hecla	50	60
Hollinger	5	5¼
Houghton	90	95
Ind. Cons.	67¼	67¾
Do. pfd.	80¾	80¾
Isle Royale	29½	30
Jer. Verde	2 1-16	2¼
Kerr Lake	4½	4¾
Keweenah	2	2¼
Lake Cop.	12	12½
La Rose	45	50
La Salle	2¾	2¾
Mass. Ltd.	24	25
Mass. Con.	12¾	13¼
Nipissing	7¼	7¾
N. Y. Trans.	1¾	2
Nevada Con.	17¾	18
Nipissing	7¼	7¾
N. Butte	21½	21¾
N. Dome	1	1¼
Ohio	1¾	2
Old Cornw.	10	15
Old Dom.		15¼
Do. pfd.		25
Oilway	2¾	3
Osceola	58½	59
Old Colony	2¾	2¾
Onseo	50	60
Ohio Cop.	2¾	2¾
Omaha	94	95
Pond Creek	18	19
Quincy	96	97
Ray Cons.	23¾	23¾
Ray Herc.	25½	25¾
Prof.	75	100
Santa Fe	1	1¼
Shannon	7	7¼
Shattuck	25	25½
Stewart	40	45
St. Mary	60	65
S. Lake	3½	3¾
Sup. Cop.	4	4¼
Sup. Cop. pfd.	9	10
S. P. Co.	154½	154¾
S. W. Miami	2	2¼
Tonopah	5¾	6
Tono. Ex.	2	2¼
Trinity	8¾	9
Tuolumne	1	1¼
Utah Cop.	114	114½
Utah Metal	5	5¼
U.S.M. & S.	55	55¼
Do. pfd.	49½	50
Un. Verde	27½	28
Shoe Mach.	54	54½
Do. pfd.	97½	98
Victoria	3¾	3¾
Wyandotte	90	91
Wis Ba.	1¾	2
Wolverine	41¾	42
Yukon	1¾	2
Mass. Ltd.	24	25
King	1¾	2

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Evaporated apples, quiet; prunes, firm but quiet; apricots and peaches, strong; raisins, inactive.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, May 17, 1917.

Bank clearings yesterday were $6,985,419.09, an increase of $2,136,083.15, compared with the corresponding day last year.

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Monday	$5,770,700.08	$4,830,891.78	$3,156,286.16
Tuesday	5,561,800.55	4,421,607.09	3,855,562.15
Wed'day	6,848,419.09	4,726,891.51	3,608,043.40

Diversified.

BROADER TRADING ON EXCHANGE.

ALL CLASSES OF SECURITIES ACTIVE.

Union Oil Irregular—Associated Shows Marked Improvement. Home Telephone Preferred Advances—A Poor Call for Investment—Metal Shares Sag.

Trading on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange assumed broader proportions yesterday, with prices holding practically firm. A number of the leaders, however, were irregular, Union opening at 125.25, selling down to 124.50, and then recovering to 125.00 Associated showed marked improvement, and gained a full point during the day. Bidding for this issue was livelier than for some time past, and there appeared to be a more optimistic feeling toward the security. Fifty shares of General Petroleum changed hands in the afternoon at 78.50, and there was the customary activity in the cheaper oil stocks. Among the industrials Home Telephone preferred advanced to 94.00, some 150 shares selling at that figure. No demand was in evidence for Home common, and bids for that issue slumped to 62.75. Los Angeles Investment touched a new low level for the week, when transactions were recorded at .95.

Practically the entire mining list was weak Wednesday, and a number of severe losses were registered before the meeting had been brought to a close. Tom Reed dropped 3½ points, United Eastern sold at 4.07½, and Sunnyside was in poorer shape at .11½ to .12. The low-priced metals were also off. Arizona Ray was a heavy seller at .01⅞, Carter at .01½ to .01¾, and Ivanhoe at .01¾ to .01⅝. Demand for mining stocks is almost nil at the moment, due to the uncertainties that have followed the entrance of this nation into the world war. Until the present nervousness on the part of the public is removed, there is liable to be but a dull market for metal issues.

LOCAL CLOSING.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Sav. & Com. Bank	$105.00	$120.00
Citizens' National Bank	200.00	
Commercial National	190.00	200.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	450.00	500.00
First National	650.00	695.00
Guaranty Tr. & Sav. Bank	150.00	160.00
Merchants' Com. T. & Sav.	150.00	160.00
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	140.00	145.00
Los Angeles Trust	140.00	
Kaspare Cohn C. & S. Bank	122.50	140.00
Merchants' National		210.00
Security Savings Bank of Cal.		200.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	277.00	285.00
U. S. National Bank	135.00	

BOND LIST.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Amerines Petroleum Co.	90	
Associated Oil Co.	100	
California Pacific Ry.		96
Citizens Power & Co.	100½	
Compressed Water Co.	100½	
Edison Elec. Co., 1st Refg.		97
Edison Elec. Co., Consolidated	100	
Home Telephone Co.	94½	97
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Co.	84	85½
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co., 1st Cons.		
L. A. Pac., 1st Cons. Mtge.		80
L. A. Pac., Long Beach Bds.		
L. A. Public Market Co.	95	
L. A. R.R. Corp. 5s	72	82
L. A. Thomas Co. 5s	90	
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	98	101
Mt. Lowe Railway	70	
Pacific Gas & Power Co.	92½	
Pacific Light & Power Co.	97	100
Pacific Lighting Corp.	94¼	
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	95	
Pond Transportation Co.	99½	101
Pond Transportation Co.	99½	100
Trades' Oil Co.	94	
Union Oil Co.	94	96
Union Transportation Co.	99	99½
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	93	95
Venice Water Co.		80

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 48.75	$ 50.00
Associated Oil	62.00	62.50
Brookshire Oil	.13	
Central	.55	.56
Columbia Oil	1.00	2.00
Continental Oil	.03	.04
Edge Oil Co.	.04	.06
Fullerton Oil		2.00
General Petroleum com.	78.87½	79.50
Globe	.01¾	
Jacs Oil Co.	.06	
Mascot Oil Co.	1.34	1.40
Midway Northern	.09	.10½
Mt. Diablo O. M. & D. Co.	1.00½	1.12
National Pacific Oil Co.	.02¼	
Occidental Petroleum	.20	.27
Olinda Land Co. (Old)	.22½	.27½
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.30	1.50
Thrasher Oil Co.	65.00	65.50
Union	124.87½	125.00
United Petroleum	124.50	
United Oil Co.	.17½	.17¾
Weat Coast Oil pfd.	94.87½	95.00
Western Union	85.00	85.25
White Star Oil Co.	.04	

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Oatman District—		
Adams Mining Co.	$ .03½	$ .06
Arizona Tom Reed		.05
Argo Mines		.02
Big Jim Gold Mining Co.	.03½	.11
Boundary Cone	.01½	.02
Carter Gold	.01¾	
Cash Entry		.02
Empress		.01
Exposition Gold		.05
Gift Edge	*1.50	*2.00
Gold Range		*2.00
Gold Dust	.04	.05½
Hi Henry		*2.50
Iowa Gold	.01½	.02½
Ivanhoe Con. Mines Co.	.01¾	.01¾
Jerome Colonial	*.01	.01½
Lucky Boy	.04	.12
Midway Mining Co.		2.80
Nellie Mining	.13	3.75
Oatman Combination		.05
Oatman North Star		.05
Oatman United	.02¼	.02½
Pictured Rock	*2.00	.02½
San Francisco Gold	.01	.02½
Sun Dial Gold	.01	.02½
Sunnyside Mining	.10	
Tom Reed	1.31	1.32
United Eastern	4.00	
United Northern	.03	.04
United Western	.02¼	.03
Other Districts—		
Arizona Ray Copper	.01⅞	.02
Rosa Gold Mining	1.25¾	1.31
California Hills	*5.00	.01⅛
Consolidated Mines Co.	.01⅝	
Jerome Portland		.40
Gro Amigo	.08¾	.09¼
Mammoth Parallel	*.01	.01
Yellow Pine	1.42½	.05

*—For 1000 shares.

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Hospital		$ 70.00
Consolidated Realty Co.		75.00
Emergency Hospital	$ 33.00	
Home Telephone pfd.	92.75	94.25
Home Telephone com.	62.75	64.25
L. A. Athletic Club	3.50	
L. A. Investment Co.	.01¼	
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	125.00	
Pacific Mutual Life Ins. Co.	495.00	
Pond Transportation Co.	100.00	
S. Diego Home T. & T. Co.	1.50	
S. Cal. Edison Co.	95.00	12.00
S. Cal. Edison pfd.	100.00	
S. Cal. Edison com.	91.00	95.00
Title Ins. Co.	95.00	
Title T. & Tr. Co.	155.00	
Union Sugar Co.	39.00	37.25
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	15.00	50.00

SALES.

Morning session: 2000 Arizona Bay Copper at .01⅞; 20 Associated Oil at 62.00; 2000 Boundary Cone at .01½; 5000 Carter Gold at .01½; 7000 do. at .01¾; 10 Home Telephone pfd. at 92.00; 100 do. at 94.00; 100 Mascot Oil at 1.35; 17,000 Oatman United at .02¼; 1000 Ore Amigo at .09; 1000 Sunnyside Mining at .12; 1000 do. at .11½; 1000 Tom Reed at 1.31; 10 Union Oil at 125.00; 10 do. at 125.00; 20 do. at 124.75; 20 do. at 124.50; 10 do. at 124.62½; 100 United Eastern at .07½.

Informal: 50 Associated Oil at 62.50; 300 Mascot Oil at 1.35; 500 Oatman United at .02¾.

Afternoon session: 5000 Arizona Bay Copper at .01⅞; 20 Associated Oil at 61.50; 10 do. at 61.62½; 40 do. at 62.00; 200 Columbia at 1.01; 50 General Petroleum at 78.50; 20 Home Telephone pfd. at 94.00; 3000 Ivanhoe Con. Mines at .01¾; 5000 do. at .01¾; 7000 do. at .01⅝; 1000 Lucky Boy at .04; 220 L. A. Investment at .01; 300 do. at .07; 150 Mt. Diablo at 1.10; 1000 Oatman United at .02¾; 100 Tom Reed at 1.30; 200 do. at 1.31½; 20 Union Oil at 124.75; 20 do. at 124.87½; 60 do. at 125.00; 20 do. at 124.87½; 10 do., sales 30 days, at 125.50; 30 do. at 125.00; 100 Union Sugar at 38.25; 100 United Eastern at 4.07½; 100 Yellow Pine at 1.42½.

Informal: 20 General Petroleum at 78.75.

Grain.

BIG FRESH BREAKS IN WHEAT MARKET.

QUOTATIONS FALL OFF FIFTEEN CENTS IN A MINUTE.

Summary Stoppage of All Buying of Futures Further Makes Itself Felt in Terrific Price Slump—Government Plans and Weather are Bearish Factors.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 16. — Huge fresh breaks in the value of contracts for future delivery of wheat resulted today from the recent summary stoppage of all buying except to close out existing deals. Chances of a Federal enactment that would involve the establishment of maximum prices on cash wheat, that is, wheat for immediate delivery, appeared likewise to have a bearish influence, and so, too, did ideal weather for the growing crops. After a descent which at the extreme amounted to 24 cents a bushel the market closed relatively firm, but at net losses of 8@9¼, with July at 2.30 and September at 2.07. Corn finished 1@2⅝ off, oats off ⅜@1, and provisions at a setback of 2½@20. Such a complete lack of support for future deliveries of wheat was shown at the opening that quotations fell 15 cents within a minute. Further downturns of 2 cents which quickly ensued were followed by a moderate rally, but then the weakness became more acute, and September did not stop until 2.00 a bushel had been left behind, and sales had been made

Business Page: Citrus Fruits, Butter and Eggs—Current Trade—Local Produce Markets.

ket Abroad.

RAW AND REFINED SUGAR QUOTATION

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 6.02; muscovado, 5.14; refined steady, fine granulated, 7.50@8.50.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Option	High.	Low.	Close.
January			
February			
March			
April			
May	4.96	4.86	4.91
June	5.05	4.95	4.99
July	5.09	5.01	5.03
August	5.13	5.05	5.07
September			
October			
November			
December	4.96	4.91	4.91

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FRUIT—Oranges, navels, Imperials, 1.50 lug; Valencias, 3.00; juice, 1.25; choice to fancy, 2.50@3.50; seedlings, 1.50 box; Spitzenberg—Apples: Spitzenberg, 2.75; White Winter Pearmain, 1.50@2.00; Yellow Newtown Pippins, 2.00@2.25; Romanite, 1.50@2.00; Winesaps, 2.40 box; Jonathans, 1.38@1.50 crate; bananas, 6.50 cluster; cherries, 12@15; lb.; lokums, 2.50; pineapples, 3@10 lb.

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Following are prices quoted: No. 1 fed steers, 9¾; seconds, 9¼; No. 1 heifers, 8; seconds, 7½; cows and stags, 6@6¼; calves, 8@9; lambs, 11.50; sheep, ewes, 9.50; bucks, 7.50@8.00. Following are prices delivered on board cars f.o.b. Los Angeles: Choice grain fed, 100 lbs. and up, 150 to 175 lbs., 12¾@13; 175 lbs. and up, 12¾@13; 150 lbs. and under, 12¾@13; large broilers, 1¾; fryers, 2¼ lbs. and under, 23; broilers, 1¾ lbs. and under, 22; small Leghorn hens, 14; young tom turkeys, 20; young hens, 25; geese, 15; ducks, 20 doz.

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Following is a list of abbreviations used in The New York citrus report:

ACO—Azusa-Covina-Glendora Orchards. AFD—Anaheim Fruit Distributors. ADJO—Anaheim-Orange Juice Distributors. Park—Ball & Travis, Downey. Bdwn—Baldwin, Rialto, Santa Ana. BHG—Bloy Highlands Growers, Riverside. BFO—Bellflower Fruit Company, Fullerton. CH—Chaffey Heights, Ontario. CHG—Corbett Heights Growers, Redlands. CM—C. M. Lewis, Redlands. CC—Central California Citrus Company, Lindsay. CF—Corbett Fruit Exchange, Upland. CFD—Duarte-Monrovia Exchange, Duarte. DFC—Duttenbaugh Fruit Company, Riverside. EHG—East Highland Citrus Assn., E. Highland. EO—Edgemont Orchards, Redlands. EU—Escondido Citrus Union. EFC—Exeter Fruit Growers, Roseville. FFC—Fillmore Fruit Growers, Fillmore. FPO—Fillmore Packing Company, Fillmore. GOO—Golden Orange Growers, Redlands. GFC—H. J. Campbell, Riverside. GFCO—Gowen Fruit Company. HFC—Harper Fruit Company, Oswego. HOG—Highgrove Orange Growers' Association, Highgrove. HCA—Hacienda Citrus Assn., East Highland. ILLA—I. L. Lyon Fruit, Redlands. IFD—Independent Fruit Distributors, Riverside. IFC—Irvington Fruit Co., Santa Barbara. JO—Jurupa Orchards, Riverside. KCo—Kellerman Company, Riverside. LFC—Limoneira Company, Santa Paula. LMA—Lindsay-Strathmore Exchange.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Thirty-seven cars of oranges, three cars of lemons sold. Oranges under an 80 size, from the California section, were generally steady. Thirty-six cars arrived, one car lemons sold. The correspondent of the Journal of Commerce says that market higher on Navel oranges. Quotations:

NAVELS—	Avg.	NAVELS—	Avg.	NAVELS—	Avg.	NAVELS—	Avg.
Quail, OKY	2.25	Pennell, LRe	2.40	Redlands, ACOo	2.15	Tidewater, GFCo	2.20
Fruit Exch., Rlto	2.60	Foothill, ARIo	2.40	Redlands, Ind	2.40	Tidewater, Rlto	2.15
Volunteer, SAAZ	2.60	Silver Queen, Rlto	2.40	Volunteer, Rlto	2.40	Wildwood, RHCo	2.15
Gold Buckle, Rlto	2.15	Gold Buckle, Rlto	2.15	Volunteer, Rlto	2.40	Wildwood, Rlto	2.15
Lechtman, Rlto	2.80	Lechtman, Rlto	2.80	Orange Grove, ACOo	2.15	Wright Flower, GFCO	2.10
Lechtman, Rlto	2.80	R. Riddlesdell, RHCo	2.80	Orange Grove, ACOo	2.15	Wright Flower, GFCO	2.10
Gold Buckle, Rlto	2.15	H. Vernon, ACOo	2.15	Redwood, Rlto, FTA	2.70	Lind Chemung, RHCo	2.05
Lechtman, Rlto	2.80	Exposition, Rlto	2.10	Redwood, Rlto	2.70		
Sunkist, OCC	2.45	Penn, RIV	2.30	Valley Falls, Rlto	2.30	Mother Co., GFCo	2.10
Pedrick, OCC	2.30	Highway, OKY	2.30	Tower, Rlto	2.30	Overwatch, FFC	2.15
Schook, Rlto	2.30	Monk, Rlto	2.30	Overhill, Ind, MOCo	2.20	Overwatch, FFC	2.15
Tibbet, Rlto	2.40	Crowley, Ch	2.60	Overland, NOCo	2.00	Overwatch, FFC	2.15
Tibbet, Rlto, AHr	2.40	Crowley, Ch	2.60	Overland, GFCo	2.10	Sprague, FFC	2.10
Moody, FFC	2.30	Victor, GK	2.60	Overland, GFCo	2.10	Sprague, FFC	2.10
Moody, OKY	2.75	Daisy, Ch	2.15	Overland, Rlto	2.30	TTT, FFC	2.30
Pennsylvania, OKY	2.30	Mound, Ind, MOCo	2.20	Overland, Rlto	2.30	TTT, FFC	2.30
Pennsylvania, OKY	2.30	Mound, Ind, MOCo	2.20	Lime Kiln, ELLE	2.45	RHCo, FFC	2.15
Penn, OKY	2.30	Mound, Rlto, MOCo	2.20	Lime Kiln, ELLE	2.45	RHCo, FFC	2.15
Blue Hussar, OKY	2.30	Tiger, Rlto	2.55	Orange Grove, ACOo	2.15	Cactus, RHCo	2.05
Alta Loma, OKY	2.30	Tiger, Rlto	2.55	Orange Grove, ACOo	2.15	Cactus, RHCo	2.05
Alta Loma, OKY	2.30	P. Rolfe, ARIo	2.30	Redlands, Rlto	2.30		
Knollworth, Rlto	2.30	Rolfe, ARIo	2.30	Redlands, Rlto	2.30		

BLOODS—Orange Queen, 2.75; Glendora, 2.50; Pedrick, 1.15; Crafton Special, 1.50; ST. MICHAELS—Crafton Heights, 2.50; GRAPEFRUIT—Lyon, medium, 4.00; Redlands, 3.50; Rialto, 3.50; Redlands, 3.50; Rialto, 3.50; Redlands, 3.50; Rialto, 3.50

As is Ground.

GRAFT INQUIRY FAR REACHING.

All "Beauty Parlors" may be Closed as Result.

Mayor Fails to See any Excuse for the Situation.

Alleged "Fixer" is Named to Police Commissioners.

Following the second meeting of the Police Commission yesterday in Chief Butler's office to sift charges regarding certain beauty parlor licenses and the manner in which they have been secured, Mayor Woodman announced that the inquiry may lead to a closing of practically all massage establishments in the city.

"I see no reason," said the Mayor, "why we should allow improper practices to flourish in Los Angeles, as no excuse has been offered for the existence of the alleged 'trade.' Today we have secured evidence which gives weight to the charges made and I feel that the outcome is not very far off. We are going to the bottom of the matter and with evidence accumulating daily, we are being equipped with the necessary means to warrant closing of the parlors."

Mrs. Alice R. Newman of No. 311 West Ninth street testified that her license expired in June, 1916, and that she was refused a renewal. Shortly after her request for renewal had been denied, she stated that a man whom she named appeared at her home and told her that for $100 he could get her a license and see that she was "protected." Furthermore, in order that no difficulties might arise, she said he told her it would be necessary for her to have the license made out in the name of one her daughters. Mrs. Newman declared the offer was entirely unsolicited.

After being approached, Mrs. Newman testified that she inquired of the authorities why it was necessary to pay $100 for a massage license. She was told that such sum was wholly unnecessary and that someone was probably trying to swindle her.

The witness said that for a time she employed a girl in her parlor who had been recommended to her by this man, but that as soon as she became convinced that the girl was undesirable, she discharged her.

It previously had been stated to the members of the Police Commission that the supposed "fixer" operated massage parlors through women representatives.

Mrs. Newman testified that he borrowed money from girls who worked for her, and that he also made loans on jewelry which she said she believed was valueless. She further stated that another woman, whom he is alleged to have approached regarding a license, actually paid him $100 to secure a license.

The commission will meet again this afternoon and examine other witnesses. The interrogation yesterday was conducted by City Prosecutor Williams. Police Commissioners Johnson and Owen, Chief Butler and Mayor Woodman expressed themselves as being thoroughly satisfied with the progress made thus far.

Jurisdiction?

AWAIT HIGHER COURT.

Second Case Against Councilman Betkouski to Remain in Abeyance Until Appellate Court Decides Point Raised in the First Action.

By agreement between Asst. Dist.-Atty. Cryer and Oscar Lawler in Presiding Judge Finlayson's court yesterday, the second case against Martin Betkouski, president of the City Council, growing out of the sale of land for the terminal site of the Los Angeles Union Terminal Company, will remain in abeyance until the Appellate Court passes on the jurisdictional question raised in the first case pending before Judge Craig.

Attorney Lawler claims for Mr. Betkouski that the Police Court has exclusive jurisdiction of charges of misdemeanor. Mr. Cryer holds that it has not where the charge involves removal from office. Charges of misdemeanor before the Police Court are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both. Until the Appelate Court passes on the question continuance will be granted.

A Question.

WHEN DID HE COME?

Witnesses in Damage Suit Declare Plaintiff Called Upon Them Here a Year Before He Says He Arrived in Southern California.

Testimony having been given before a jury in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday that I. Berger had called on people in Southern California a year or more before he says he came here, his counsel was granted a continuance of his damage suit against the Los Angeles Railway until this morning to bring in witnesses to rebut this statement. Mr. Berger denied that he had ever called on these people or seen them before.

The suit is for $3075 damages for injuries Mr. Berger claims he sustained by falling off a car at Pecan and Fourth streets, December 1, 1916. He alleges that the car was negligently started before he could alight and that he was thrown. Witnesses were called who testified that they saw the accident. On cross-examination, Norman Sterry, counsel for the corporation, obtained admissions from some of them which he claims shows a wide divergence.

Mr. Berger is represented by Attorneys W. P. Redmond, S. S. Hahn and W. H. Anderson, the latter attorney having been called in to try the case.

MISSING WOMAN FOUND.

Mrs. W. F. Seeley, wife of W. F. Seeley, an artist, who was reported to the police last Thursday night as missing, was located yesterday in Phoenix. She was staying with friends. Mrs. Seeley was supposed to leave that city for Los Angeles Wednesday afternoon, and when she did not arrive at her home, No. 561 West Forty-first place, Thursday afternoon, her husband appealed to the police to look for her.

LAST CALL FOR ENGINEERS.

Second Company Rolls to be Closed at Noon—Muster in is Tonight.

The rolls of Co. C, Corps of Engineers, will close at noon sharp today at recruiting headquarters, 526 I. W. Hellman Building. It is expected that the minimum for the new company, which has been in formation but a few days, will be far passed at that time.

The new organization will be formally mustered in at the Armory this evening. Co. B will give a ball in honor of the new force and there will be a general patriotic demonstration.

Itinerary.

WILL TEACH FARMING.

National Preparedness Train is Due at Victorville Today on Tour of Southland, under Direction of the Department of Agriculture.

What has been designated as the national preparedness train, consisting of fourteen coaches, with diners and sleepers, carrying exhibits of a number of experimental stations, agricultural colleges and the Forest Service, and involving a propaganda having for its object the better tilling of the soil, will be at Victorville, today, where a series of lectures on the subject of better farming will be given.

The itinerary of the train, which is traveling over the Salt Lake, is as follows: Victorville, today; Ontario, tomorrow; San Bernardino, Saturday; Riverside, Monday; Pomona, Tuesday; Whittier, Wednesday; Pasadena, Thursday; Long Beach, Friday; Glendale, Saturday, and Los Angeles, the 28th inst.

Supervisor Charlton of the Angeles National Reserve will join the train at Victorville, today, and remain with it during its journey in Southern California.

More intensive cultivation of the soil and an application of conservation in food products are behind the campaign, which is being managed by the Department of Agriculture. The lectures will be illustrated showing conditions in California, and how the arable land can be best subserved to the raising of large crops, with hints as to the character of such crops, and how the highest results may be achieved.

Response.

ADVERTISES FOR GIRL; GETS POLICEWOMAN.

BAKER OF LA BREA IS NOW UNDER ARREST.

He's Held at Central Station on Suspicion of Having Committed a Felony, and was Unable to Mold Out Loaves Last Night for His Morn's Breakfast.

Sidney Camm wanted a pretty girl to handle the loaves of bread in his bakery at La Brea. His loaves had ascended to the circle of aristocracy with the assistance of H. C. L., and he wanted a clerk with some class. She must not be too tall, and she must not be too fat, so he advertised.

He received a score of applications for the job from girls of all sorts and shapes. He twice read the one written by Miss Ina White. It wasn't a business letter, but it was full of sentimentality. He cast the dignified business letters aside, and informed Miss Ina that he would meet her at the Pacific Electric station.

He met her last night. She was not too tall, nor was she too fat. They talked for a while, and then "Miss Ina White" informed Camm that he was under arrest. "Miss White" was Policewoman Robinson, who had read Camm's advertisement. She suspected Camm of wanting a girl for other purposes than for a clerk in a bakery.

Bread will perhaps be higher than ever in La Brea today, for Camm, the baker, was not there last night to bake any. He was held at Central Station on suspicion of having committed a felony.

Economy.

HOPE FOR MOTORISTS.

City's Chief Oil Inspector Tells Council We Can Get Auto Fuel at Same Old Prices if We Will Reduce Present Inspection Standards.

Chief Oil Inspector Blackmar yesterday notified the City Council that present oil standards will have to be reduced if we are to continue to obtain automobile fuel at present quotations. He declared that the only possible way to reduce quotations on gasoline, benzine, distillate and similar products is to permit local refineries to lower their quality.

Such a lowering of standard, he asserted, will permit a considerable increase in the amount of these fluids refined from the crude oil. Enormous increases in the demand for petrol variations have arisen, according to Inspector Blackmar, from war causes, as well as to the increase in the number of machines used.

Certain manufacturers of these products have threatened, he further stated, to discontinue the distribution of their products in Los Angeles unless the lower grading is permitted by the Council. Other cities are said to have done this during the past three months as a result of a grave economical situation.

The Council deferred action to a later date, majority of members declaring that they would have to make extensive investigation before they will submit to a change in present specifications.

Money can be borrowed at low rates of interest from patrons of the "Money to Loan" columns in The Times "Liner" pages.

Aroused.

CITY NUISANCE ANGERS MAYOR.

Relief from Billboard Peril Demanded by Council.

Executive Says People Should Decide on Ordinance.

Will Urge the Application of the Majority Rule.

Mayor Woodman will go before the City Council this morning and demand ample protection from the billboard menace, which is being aided and abetted by the majority of the present Council.

"Our property owners should have the right to protection if they desire it," declared the chief executive yesterday.

"Under the present ordinance, and under that fostered by the majority of the Council, such protection is not available. If Chicago and other great communities of the nation have seen fit to take care of the property owners by permitting them to decide for or against the billboards, Los Angeles should not remain in the background."

It is probable Mayor Woodman will ask for the incorporation in the ordinance of a section which will leave it to 51 per cent. of the property owners in each block to decide whether or not there shall be billboards. It is this section that Councilmen Conwell and Betkouski have fought for and have been defeated by the other members of the body.

For Soldiers.

TENNIS STARS TO PLAY.

Will Appear in Exhibition Games at Fete to be Given by British Ambulance Society at Palmer Residence in Highland Park Saturday.

May Sutton Bundy will appear in a tennis match at the garden fete to be held Saturday afternoon at the home of Thomas Palmer, No. 5036 Echo street, Highland Park, under the auspices of the British Ambulance Society. The proceeds will be sent to the front for the aid of wounded soldiers.

Those who will take part in the tennis match besides Mrs. Bundy are her sister, Florence Sutton, Mrs. B. O. Bruce and Mrs. Hope Doeg. There also will be dancing, fortune telling by Mrs. Raymond and "crystal gazing" under the direction of Mme. Constantine Apergis.

The patronesses of the fete are Mmes. L. N. Brunswig, W. A. Edwards, O'Connell, W. G. Bower, A. Bowring, Raymond, C. E. G. Hogson, John Percival Jones, Christopher Gordon, Norman Kerr, Willoughby Rodman, Richard Vincent, Le Moyne Wills, Hancock Banning, Reginald Jones and the Misses Trew, Murray, Jamieson, Vernon and McCullough. The fete grounds can be reached by the South Pasadena or the Annandale cars to Avenue 50.

Treasured.

RECOVERS OLD VIOLIN.

When Owner of Fine Instrument Gets it Back from Musician Who Borrowed it and Left the City, He Cries for Joy.

A Stainer violin, made in 1658 and valued at $10,000, was recovered by the District Attorney's office yesterday for Frank Fanning. He loaned the instrument to a musician, and when he opened the violin case the musician had returned, he found he had a cheap instrument and the valuable violin was missing.

Mr. Fanning appealed to the District Attorney's office for aid in recovering his treasure. The musician was traced to a cabaret in El Centro, and was found playing the old violin. Mr. Fanning was so delighted to find the instrument he asked the authorities not to arrest the musician, saying he understood what a temptation it was to a violinist to want such a violin.

A deputy Sheriff went to El Centro to get the violin, and brought it to Mr. Fanning. He said the musician cried when the violin was restored to him.

LUCKY GIRLS.

Come from Chicago to California for One Dollar.

On two round-trip tickets to the Coast on the Union Pacific Railroad, that were donated for the Allied bazaar in Chicago, and sold to the winner of a number for $1, Miss Mildred Decker and her sister, Helen, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday. The girls are registered at the Alexandria. They will remain here a week and then go to Salt Lake on their way back East.

When the Allied bazaar was held in Chicago recently many valuable things were donated, and sold at so much a chance. The two tickets to the Coast were numbered and sold for only $1.

"I never was so excited as when I discovered my luck," said Miss Mildred, the winner, last night. "My sister and I got ready at once to take the greatest trip we have ever had. It has been wonderful. We went on the Overland Limited up through Colorado, Utah and Wyoming, then to San Francisco, where we spent a week, arriving in Los Angeles early yesterday. California is more beautiful than we ever dreamed, and we are sorry we cannot stay longer."

BY LOCAL COMPOSER.

In the concert prelude at the First Methodist Church, Sunday evening, Organist Newell Parker will play the "Military March" by Charles Fritzsche and the "Serenata Hindustani" by the same composer. The march had its premiere at a concert by the band of the Twenty-first Infantry recently in San Diego, where Mme. Schumann-Heink heard it and was so impressed by the music that she has decided to make a feature of it on her programmes of next season. The "Serenata Hindustani" is the musical setting of the famous "Indian Serenade" by the British poet, Percy Bysshe Shelley.

Public Service—City Hall, Courts

At the Courthouse.

MISSING HUSBAND STARTS WILL FIGHT.

FRAUD ALLEGED ON PART OF BENEFICIARIES.

New Life Injected into Litigation Over Estate of Augusta Corn by Disinherited Mate, Who Seeks Letters of Administration Charges Undue Influence.

Bernard Corn, who was disinherited by his wife, Augusta Corn, because, she stated in her will, he had abandoned her and she did not know his whereabouts, became a party yesterday to the litigation involving the last testament of the aged woman. He petitioned for letters of administration under the will of his wife, setting up a claim for the recovery from C. S. James and H. O. Cady of real estate and personal property, alleging that it had been "obtained by them from Mrs. Corn without consideration and by the exercise of fraud, menace, duress and undue influence." The description and annual revenue of the property, Mr. Corn states, is unknown to him. The value, however, is in excess of $10,000.

Mrs. Corn died October 12, 1916. In her will she gave Barton Darlington, an attorney, $8000; Anna Cave, $100; Sadie Odell, $200; Mr. Cady, a nephew, $5000, and the residue to Mrs. Lelia M. Darlington, wife of Barton Darlington.

Subsequently she revoked this will, which cut out the requests to the Darlingtons, and both the will and the revocation were filed for probate. The revocation was declared valid by Judge Rives, thus invalidating the will. Mr. Corn's petition starts the battle all over again.

FATHER MUST PAY.

GIRL TOO ILL TO WORK.

Mamie A. Griffith was awarded $50 a month from her father, S. N. Griffith, by Judge Finlayson yesterday, after hearing the testimony in her suit for maintenance. Miss Griffith alleged that her father, who resides in Oakland, is worth $50,000. She stated that she has been ill and unable to support herself for fourteen years. Mr. Griffith allowed the judgment to go by default.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

IN COURTS AND OUT.

DENIES DECREE. At the expense of a journey from Tucson, Frank Chrisman, a druggist of that city, appeared in divorce court yesterday to defend the suit of Mary Jane Chrisman. Mrs. Chrisman did not appear, and on the motion of Attorney Dehm, acting for the husband, the decree was denied. Mental cruelty was alleged in the complaint.

PREFERS SINGLE LIFE. Ruth Jacobs, who stated that during her married life she was compelled to work for a living and help support Burdell Jacobs, won a decree in Judge York's court yesterday. Mrs. Jacobs gives diving exhibitions. Mr. Jacobs did not contest the action.

MORE SUITS THREATENED. A contract made by Mary McLaren, film actress, with David Horsley on the 7th inst., threatens to be tied up by litigation involving the sale of pictures she appears in. The suit was filed in behalf of Miss McLaren through Attorney Ingle Carpenter yesterday and is directed against the Universal Film Manufacturing Company. She claims that the Universal has notified motion-picture producers that suit will be brought if Miss McLaren is employed. Further that there will be actions started in every State to prevent pictures in which she appears being exhibited.

FILM ACTOR SUES. The Fox Film Corporation was made defendant in a suit by Herbert Standing, film artist, yesterday for $900 damages for alleged breach of contract. He claims he entered into a contract to work in the production of a play at a salary of $150 a week. Told to buy his wardrobe, he claims he spent $100 and was discharged. He bases his damages on the length of time it would have required to produce the picture he was engaged to appear in.

INCORPORATIONS. The Neptune Sea Products Company, incorporators G. A. Constantine, S. Cratgas and James Gedeon, capital stock $25,000, subscribed $3; The Keystone Iron and Steel Company, incorporators J. E. Geyer, McGeffert, A. A. Barton, J. P. Loftus and W. F. Allen, capital stock $500,000, subscribed $5; The Briggs Company, incorporators S. L. Briggs, Sidney A. Briggs, P. H. Gray, S. F. MacFarlan and W. F. West, capital stock $75,000, subscribed $5.

At the City Hall.

LONG-DISCUSSED RESIGNATION IN.

CITY PROSECUTOR OFFERS TO STEP OUT.

Not Officially Accepted by Mayor Woodman, Who Desires Time to Locate Probable Successor to the Office—Williams to Go into Private Practice.

After another conference between Mayor Woodman and City Prosecutor Warren L. Williams yesterday morning, the latter announced that he had tendered his resignation verbally and would follow this with a written notice. The latter will not be given for a few days, or until such time as Mayor Woodman has in his own mind determined on a successor to Mr. Williams.

"Mr. Williams has been a very efficient officer in his position," said Mayor Woodman. "I would like to see him stay with the job but he can probably better himself materially by entering private practice. I have not chosen his successor, or even given this serious thought."

Atty. Williams stated that he would join Atty. Griffith Jones in business whenever the Mayor sees fit to accept his resignation.

Those prominently mentioned for the position are Ray E. Nimmo, assistant City Prosecutor under Mayor Alexander; John Hill and Claude B. Morton, present assistants to Prosecutor Williams, and several other prominent young attorneys who are now in private practice.

No Appointment as Yet.

The Board of Public Service Commissioners failed to appoint the city representatives on the joint board having supervision of the power distribution under the temporary operating contract. They met yesterday and took up a discussion of this matter, but decided to postpone action until this morning. Each of the power corporations, the Southern California Edison and the Pacific Light and Power Company, will have one man on the board. The city will have two men and the four will chose the fifth and final member.

WILSHIRE BOULEVARD WILL WAIVE LIGHTING.

The majority of property owners on Wilshire boulevard are satisfied to remain in semi-darkness for some nights to come. They yesterday requested the City Council to abandon proceedings toward securing ornamental lighting of that famous travel artery. Naturally their wishes were respected.

Another Argument.

The Co-operative Association of the Los Angeles Railway Employees received permission from the City Council yesterday to give the voters an argument against passage of the iniquitous jitney ordinance and one for the passage of their own bill asking regulation of these vehicles. The argument will be placed in the sample ballot envelope, according to instructions issued to City Clerk Wilde.

Summer Camp Appropriation.

The Municipal Camp at Seeley Flats was granted an appropriation of $2000 yesterday by the City Council. This sum is to be spent for new tents and other improvements in this mountain playground, which is open to all children particularly, and their taxpaying parents. The camp will open about the middle of June.

Hance Testimonial.

Former City Treasurer Capt. C. H. Hance was presented a testimonial of appreciation by the City Council. This commends him as an official of highest character, of unblemished reputation and an ideal citizen.

Continued.

WANTS DIVORCE RECORD

Deaf-mute Woman Who Seeks Support for Her Child Must Await Arrival from Seattle of Certificates of Legal Action Taken There.

Scott Beal, motion picture director, appeared in court yesterday to face the charge of having failed to provide for the infant son of Elsie Thornton, the beautiful mute. She alleges Beal is the father of her child, and he was ordered by the court to pay her an allowance for the support of the child.

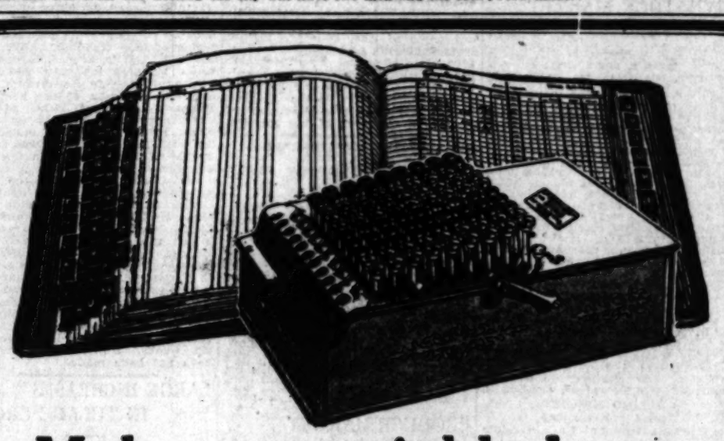
Miss Thornton is an appealing person, unusually attractive in looks, slender, forlorn and deaf and dumb. She accused Beal of taking advantage of her while she was employed in acting in the moving picture company he directed. She said she believed he intended to marry her, but when the child was born he ignored her.

The case was continued until the District Attorney's office can secure certificates of the court records in Seattle, regarding Elsie Thornton's divorce.

SUFFERING ENDS.

Burns Prove Fatal for Manager of Downtown Building.

C. P. Whitaker, manager of the I. W. Hellman Building, who was burned when a barrel of tar exploded on the roof of the building Tuesday morning, died yesterday morning at the Crocker-street Hospital. He received second and third degree burns about the body. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.



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